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THRILLS GALORE AT GYMKHANA

GOOD RIDING FEATURES DAY'S SPORT

Tpr. C. L. Gregory Outstanding

A splendid programme of events, keenly contested for by many competitors, was witnessed at the annual gymkhana organised by the Machine Gun Troop, of the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, which was held on Saturday at the old Polo Ground, Snookpoo, in glorious weather.

There was a large attendance of spectators who thoroughly enjoyed the fare offered. Among the distinguished gathering present were His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott and Lady Caldecott (who distributed the awards at the conclusion of the meet) attended by Capt. W. J. R. Craig, A.D.C., Major General A.W. Bartholomew and Mrs. Bartholomew, Commodore G.G. Sedgwick, and Mrs. Sedgwick, Col. H.C. Harrison (G.S.O.I.) Lt. Col. H.B.L. Dowbiggin, Brigadier H.G. Seth-Smith, Lt. Col. R.C.B. Anderson (Commandant, H.K.V.D.C.), Major and Mrs. E. J. R. Mitchell, Major Hogg, Capt. Frizelle, Captain A.H. Potts and Miss Potts, and others.

Trooper C. L. Gregory, was the outstanding competitor and had a field day, winning both the Dowbiggin Trophy and the Aggregate Cup. He rode "Ike" in every competition that he competed for.

CAPT. POTTS' SPEECH

Addressing the gathering at the conclusion of the gymkhana, Captain A. H. Potts, O. C., the Machine Gun Troop expressed keen delight at the presence of so distinguished a gathering. Of special interest to note was the active part taken by the children at the gymkhana, which was in the main responsible for "Bob" Charles, and other instructors on both sides of the harbour. They had rallied round with enthusiasm.

The speaker expressed the hope that there would be an even greater entry at next year's gymkhana.

THANKS EXPRESSED

He also thanked all those who had spared so much of their valuable time in ensuring the success of the meeting, and in this respect paid particular tribute to Trooper A.W. MacKinley, who had been responsible for all arrangements. Capt. Potts said that he, personally, had enjoyed the gymkhana with even greater pleasure this year, since the arrangements had been taken off his hands.

Lady Caldecott was thanked for her kind presence and for so kindly consenting to present the prizes. Following the distribution, Lady Caldecott was the recipient of a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Three hearty cheers and a "tiger" called for by Capt. Potts for Lady Caldecott, met with enthusiastic response.

DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS

The programme of events that was staged offered the spectators ample evidence of the high standard of horsemanship displayed by the numerous competitors. The first event—the Obstacle race—caused endless amusement. Competitors were made to line up at one end of the ground and on the signal "go" they jumped a hurdle, and proceeded to a line of bananas suspended in the air on strings which they had to eat without using their hands!

They then advanced to some piles of carrots lying on the ground which their mounts had to eat without the riders touching them. The riders were next made to advance to a line of buckets filled with water with apples floating in them which had to be picked out with the mouth. This proved to be the real stumbling block for many competitors, as many of the ponies did not relish the idea of seeing their riders on their knees endeavouring to pick up the apples! Competitors having achieved the next to impossible, rode their ponies to "off saddle" point, and then returned to the winning post. Trooper C.L. Gregory on "Ike" won handsomely.

ALARM RACE

"Musical chairs"—always popular at gymkhana—was next on the programme, and only attracted one entrant from the far sex. She was Miss F. Marsh who managed to survive three rounds before being "ousted out." C. Spradbury won by a "squeeze" from C.L. Gregory. The "Alarm Race" was confined to members of the Machine Gun

Troop only, and afforded the public an idea of the soldiering ability of the competitors. Two sub-sections—"A" and "B" led by Troopers D. Black and C.L. Gregory respectively, which consisted of five men each team, armed with a machine gun, were made to lie down resting with ponies picketed. Saddlery and gun were laid out behind the picketing line. On the "alarm" being sounded the gun team saddled up the pack pony and "on pack" the gun, while the horse holders saddled up the ride ponies. When the sub-section was ready they trotted round the ground and came into action with blank ammunition, and then retired. Sub-Section "A" comprising Troopers B. Black, R.H. Cole, J.P. Murphy, R.H. Butcher and W.E. Grieve won. Marks were awarded for saddling the ponies, machine gun drill and quickness.

TENT-PEGGING

Tent-Pegging proved one of the most thrilling events on the programme, and aroused great enthusiasm among the spectators. Each competitor had three runs, and marks were awarded as follows: Carry over 20 yards (3 points) carry under 20 yards (2 points) touch (1 point) general style (3 points). Captain A.H. Potts won with 15 points; Trooper C.L. Gregory was next with 12 points, and Trooper A. Dinnen a good third with 10 points.

CHILDREN'S COMPETITIONS

The Children's Riding Competition attracted many entries and spoke much for the tuition they had received from the various riding schools in the Colony and on the Mainland. The competition was divided into three classes—Class 1 for children over 12 years of age and under 18; Class 2, for children over 7 years of age and under 12 years old; and Class 3, for children under seven years of age. The winners were as follows: Susan Dibley, and Peter Potts; Pauline Powell and Alan Cuthbert; Priscilla Loxam and Pere Jordan.

The Jumping Competition saw an extremely plucky display by all the competitors, and was eventually won by little Frank Langley who displayed remarkable horsemanship for his diminutive size. Pere Jordan also caught the eye with his riding ability while several girls who took part, cleared the jump with confidence. The Wheelbarrow Race, won by Trooper C.L. Gregory and Miss Jex, served as an interlude to further serious riding which was to follow in a gruelling jumping contest. Competitors of the wheelbarrow race were required to line up mounted at one end while their "fair" partners stood by their wheelbarrow at the other end. The riders then rode down the field, dismounted, picked up the wheelbarrow with the partner seated inside and ran back up the field while the girl led the pony by the side. Gregory's pony "Ike" after being a trifle stubborn at the start, fell into the fun of the occasion and actually ran so fast over the finish line that Gregory was hard pushed to keep up!

GRUELLING CONTEST

The final event of the day—the Jumping Contest was a brave mixture of splendid attempts splendidly achieved, and brave attempts with brave failures. The difficulty of making a China pony jump was emphasised by the numerous "shying" at one or other of the fences—and there were over six jumps. "Bob" Charles on Wisdom Stag evoked rounds of applause with his capable handling of his pony, while J.L. Gregory on "Ike" he had ridden the pony in every event he competed for at the gymkhana, who was the second rider in the event, took his pony round the course with only one failure. At the last jump—the five bar gate. Squadron Leader Anderson on "Glorious Star"—an Australian pony—won the event easily for points of this category, by a fine show of horsemanship which was easily the best seen in the meeting.

Mrs. G.E. Stokes riding Clyde, had the misfortune of being thrown from her pony, when it refused the water-jump. She was thrown over the pony's head and received the first and only ducking of the day, when it dragged her back into the water.

DETAILED RESULTS

Results in full were as follows:
Event 1. Obstacle Race. Winner, Trooper C.L. Gregory.
Event 2. Musical Chairs. Winner, Trooper A. Spradbury.
Event 3. Alarm Race. Challenge Cup and Miniature presented to the winning team by Captain A.H. Potts. Sub-Section "A"
Tpr. D. Black
R. H. Cole
J. P. Murphy
R. H. Butcher
W. E. Grieve

Event 4. Tent-pegging. Machine Gun Troop Challenge Cup presented by N. V. A. Croucher, Esq. Winner Capt. A.H. Potts, (15 points) 2. Trooper, C.L. Gregory (12 points) 3. Trooper, A. Dinnen (10 points).

Event 5. Children's Riding Competition. Class 1. Susan Dibley, Peter Potts. Class 2. Pauline Powell, Allen Cuthbert. Class 3. Priscilla Loxam, Pere Jordan. Children's Jumping Competition. Frank Langley.

Event 6. Wheelbarrow Race. Winners, Trooper C.L. Gregory and Miss Jex.

Event 7. Jumping Competition (China ponies) 1. Trooper, C.L. Gregory on "Ike". 2. Capt. F.J.C. Rybot on Glenshee, 3. Sergt. R.H. Charles on Wisdom Stag (Australian ponies) 1. Sqdn.-Ld. Anderson on Glorious Star.

The Dowbiggin Trophy (Presented by Lt. Col. H.B.L. Dowbiggin O.B.E., Late Commandant of the H.K.V.D.C.) Trooper, C.L. Gregory.

The Aggregate Cup (Presented by Col. L.G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E.) Trooper, C.L. Gregory.

There being no recruits competing at the gymkhana, the "Recruit Cup" presented by Mr. H.H. Priestly, was not contested for.

JUDGES

The following were the judges.
Tent-Pegging: Major-Gen. A. W. Bartholomew, Col. H. C. Harrison, and Lt. Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin.
Jumping competition: Major-General A. W. Bartholomew, Brigadier H. G. Seth-Smith, and Lt. Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin.
Children's Competition: Brigadier Seth-Smith, and Major Hogg.
Other competitions: Lt. Col. R. C. B. Anderson, Lt. Col. Dowbiggin, Major Hogg, Capt. Clarke, Major E. J. R. Mitchell, Capt. Westlake, Capt. Frizelle, and Lt. N. W. Metcalfe.

During the afternoon, the Band of the 1st Battalion, the Royal Ulster Rifles, by kind permission of Lieut.-Col. R.M. Rodwell and Officers, rendered an appropriate selection of music.

TROPICAL TORNADO

Turns Desert Into Sea

A tropical tornado so violent that part of the desert was turned into a sea—and a horse and cart blown away—has been experienced in north-west Australia.

The havoc it wrought is described by Mr. L. N. Stewart in his report to the Australian Postal Department. Mr. Stewart is a linesman employed to inspect telegraph lines in north-west Australia.

He was camping on the banks of the Ashburton River when, it was stated, the storm sprang up.

"During the first night of the storm," he stated in his report, "an inch of rain fell, while six inches fell during the second night."

"I packed everything in the cart, chained both wheels and put a log through the under-cart and tied the axle to a tree with a piece of wire."

"Early in the morning the hood of the cart blew off. I took the horse and waded with him through water waist-high for two miles to a sandhill. The wind was coming with hurricane force from the south. I had to let the horse go on the sandhill, and the last I saw he was being driven before the wind in a stream of water a mile wide, heading to the river."

"I decided to attempt to reach Onslow, the nearest town, about 21 miles away."

"I crawled, swam, or was blown from pole to pole. The whirlwind was howling, and the country, with the exception of a few sand-dunes, was under one foot to five feet of water. Water was rushing past the poles three feet deep for miles."

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Sailing And Regatta

BOAT SINKS IN ONE EVENT

Ideal weather conditions favoured the opening cruise of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club which was held on Saturday afternoon. The annual working regatta also took place and some keen sport was seen. In the Hornell Cup race, the Hong Kong Electric boat sank throwing its five occupants into the harbour. Happily, the incident occurred in shallow water and the competitors were able to reach shore easily.

At the conclusion of the events, Mrs. C. G. Sedgwick, wife of the Commodore, Rear-Admiral C. G. Sedgwick, R.N., presented the prizes.

COMMODORE'S SPEECH

Mr. H. S. Rouse, Commodore of the Yacht Club, said:—

"I must first record the Club's appreciation of Mrs. Sedgwick's graciousness in coming here, from the Volunteer Gymkhana to present the prizes this afternoon.

"Our visitors' and Ladies' day has been brought forward by about one month to enable us to carry through an ever increasing programme of events. Our fleet of racing craft and cruisers now exceed 60 and these provide a considerable field for employment of hands in the vessels themselves and to shipyards for their upkeep. It is a source of gratification to the older members of the Club that many of our active rowing and sailing members and the boys carried in our yachts are enrolled in the Naval Volunteer Force thus providing one more bond between this Club and its many naval subscribers.

The amenities of the Club are not what they were, but I ask you to be patient for a little longer at the same time assuring you that the sub-committee, appointed at the Annual General meeting, working under that able Chairman, my friend the Vice-Commodore Mr. Cook, are examining all channels to pilot us to better moorings.

HOPES OF INTERPORT

"To-day's rowing has been confined to our own members but it is hoped to arrange an Interport Regatta for December when we look forward to entertaining our neighbours from Canton and the Victoria Recreation Club.

"The return of several units of his Majesty's Fleet enabled us to provide a race for whalers with the prospect of a good entry and on behalf of the Club I bid them welcome.

"I am glad to be able to report favourably on that friend of all sailors of the Club, Mr. G. G. Wood, for I understand he will be out of hospital in the next 10 days or so. He sends his love to all, especially the Ladies.

"The flag officers and members welcome all our visitors and trust they have enjoyed the afternoon's activities.

"I will now ask Mrs. Sedgwick to present the prizes."

ROWING RESULTS

The following were the results of the rowing events:—

Hong Fours for the Hornell Cup: 1. Way Poong (Messrs. P. D. M. Munro, F. H. King, I. H. Bradford, B. S. Carter and F. C. B. Black); 2. Taikoo (Mr. S. Cumming, J. B. Collis, R. C. Harley, E. W. Scott and G. K. Oliver).

The Hong Kong Electric boat contained Messrs. R. W. Smith, M. H. Arnold, G. T. Padgett, G. G. S. Thomson and H. S. Jones.

"Door Minett Challenge Cup for Single Sculls:—

Won by Mr. H. Clauss.
Challenge Cup for Junior Pairs:— 1. I. H. Bradford and B. S. Carter; 2. W. A. Hav-Eddie and H. Clauss.

YACHTING RESULTS

"I," "Y" & "G" Classes—Started 3 p.m.

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Widgeon 18.08.50 1

(Miss Crawhall-Wilson).

Eunice 18.10.00 2

(Miss P. King).

Gael 18.10.38 3

(D. Steel Perkins).

Stella 18.10.56 4

(Mrs. B. Pengelly).

Zephyr 18.12.51 5

(Mrs. Sharp).

Winkle 18.13.32 6

(Mrs. McClatchie).

Eeron 18.13.43 7

(Mrs. E. Moore).

Sirius 18.19.25 8

(A. M. Miller).

"H" Class—Started 3.20 p.m.

EUROPEAN POLITICS

Proposed Five-Power Meeting

London, Oct. 18. Public opinion shows considerable interest in the meaning attaching to the declaration made by the King of the Belgians to his Cabinet on Wednesday regarding Belgium's position in international affairs. The reactions in other countries are fully reported in the press. Attention tends to be concentrated on the bearing of the statement of policy on the diplomatic preparations already in train for a five-Power meeting, at which, by the terms of the communiqué of July 23, the principal subject of discussion would be the replacement of the Locarno Treaty by a new agreement.

As the Foreign Secretary has repeatedly affirmed in recent speeches, it is the earnest desire of His Majesty's Government to see a new agreement on the lines of the Locarno Treaty negotiated and signed as part of the work of consolidating peace which lies before the European Powers. As the result of an interview between Mr. Anthony Eden and the Belgian Ambassador on Thursday it is now appreciated in official circles in London that the King of the Belgians' speech is to be regarded as an indication of the policy Belgium is likely to follow in the five-Power discussions, and that the interpretations current in some quarters to the effect that Belgium intended to repudiate her obligations and particularly those arising out of the League Covenant, were based on a misapprehension.

Nevertheless there is still some surprise at the public statement, as the preparation of the five-Power meeting were to be kept strictly to diplomatic channels. The importance of the declaration is fully understood, and the British Government has asked for an elucidation of some aspects.

The replies of the German and French Governments to the proposal sent by the British Government on September 18 regarding the proposed five-Power meeting have been received in the Foreign Office in the last few days. Any reports as to the contents of the German Note must be regarded as pure speculation.

British Wireless Service.

POLAND'S LABOUR DECREE

Warsaw, Oct. 18.

A special decree by the Polish President instituting a compulsory Labour Service under the title of "Auxiliary Defence Duty," will be issued in the near future, according to informed quarters here. Under this decree all men between the ages of 25 and 33 will be obliged to work 6 days a year for the next 5 years without pay on public property. On January 1, 1937, the first group will be recruited for this service.

Transoceanic News Service.

Dorothea 18.23.07 1
(Mrs. C. J. L. Lewis).
Ariel 18.24.28 2
(Miss N. Beever).
Diana 18.25.08 3
(Lieut. Ravenhill).
Rolla 18.25.17 4
(Col. Burrows).
Siskin D.N.F.

Cruisers—Started 2 p.m.

Penguin 15.18.55 1

(Capt. G. Barnard).

Cherub 15.21.41 2

(Mr. P. Mark).

U. and I. 15.21.47 3

(Mr. H. S. Rouse).

Nordwester 15.21.51 4

(Mr. A. Kolne).

Monsoon 15.21.55 5

(Mrs. Barnard).

Sea Lark V. 15.23.46 6

(Mr. E. Cock).

Quest 15.25.33 7

(Miss A. E. E. Steele).

West Wind 15.34.55 8

(Mr. C. T. Davis).

"A" Class—Started 3.10 p.m.

Joss 18.27.21 1

(Mrs. L. Stanton).

Lobo 18.28.19 2

(Mrs. Edward).

La Linda 18.28.43 3

(Lt. G. R. Q. Henriques).

True Blue 18.29.29 4

(Mrs. G. D. Adams).

Isabel 18.30.35 5

(Mrs. Ellerby).

Cicada 18.30.43 6

(A. C. Marsh).

Artemis 18.32.15 7

(Mrs. Brunsgaard).

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1.03 p.m.—Leslie Jeffries and His Orchestra.
1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press, Local: Weather Forecast, Time and Announcements.
1.40 p.m.—Vocal Variety Items.
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
5 to 8 p.m.—European Programme.
6 to 7 p.m.—A Relay of Dance Music from the Roof-Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel.

7 p.m.—A Recital by Richard Crooks (Tenor), Amelita Galli-Curci (Soprano) and Wilhelm Bechus (Piano).
Songs—I love thee (Grieg), Parted (Tosti)—Richard Crooks.
Piano—Military March in E flat (Schubert), Triana—"Iberia" (Albeniz)—Wilhelm Bechus.
Songs—Chanson Indoue (Rimsky-Korsakov), Bolero (Debussy)—Amelita Galli-Curci.
Piano—Waldesrauschen (Liszt)—Wilhelm Bechus.
Song—A dream of paradise (Gray)—Richard Crooks.

7.30 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quotations.
From the Studio
7.35 p.m.—The Continental Trio.
8 p.m.—Local: Time, Weather Report and Announcements.
8.05 p.m.—A Chinese Studio Concert.

11 p.m.—Close down.
2.05 to 11 p.m.—EUROPEAN PROGRAMME FROM Z.B.W. ON A FREQUENCY OF 640 K.C.s.

8.05 p.m.—A Variety Programme
Song—I'm a fool for loving you.—Dinah Miller.
Instrumental—Mauna Loa.—Kanu and Lulu.
Vocal Gems—"The King Steps Out."
Organ Solo—Six Hit Medley (No. 5)—Harry Groudon.
Vocal—I'm putting all my eggs in one basket—The Boswell Sisters.
Instrumental—Halelwa, Papalina, Lahilahi—Ray Kinney with Dick McIntire's Harmony Hawaiians.
Song—The Scene Changes.—Hildegard.

8.40 p.m.—Orchestral Music
Toy Symphony (Haydn).
"Aida"—Grand March (Verdi).
Procession of the Sardar (Iwanow).
Carissima (Elgar).
9 p.m.—News and Announcements from London.
9.20 p.m.—Song Memories by the Maestros
1. Little Annie Rooney (Nolan).
2. Daddy wouldn't buy me a bow-wow (Tabrar).
3. Because (D'Hardelot).
4. Maire, my girl (Aitken).
9.33 p.m.—Rawicz and Landauer on Two Pianos
Chopin: No. 1 in B minor.
Liszt in Rhythm.
Schubert Time.
Waltz Memories from Vienna.

9.46 p.m.—Four Viola Solos by Albert Sandler
1. Pale Moon (Logan, arr. Kreisler).
2. Allegro (Plocco, arr. Bent and O'Neill).
3. The Violin Song (From "Tina") (Paul Rubens).
4. The Child and his dancing doll (Jonny Heykens).
10 p.m.—Big Ben from London.
10 p.m.—Dance Music by Billy Cotton and His Band.
11 p.m.—Close down.

BERLIN PROGRAMME
1.05 p.m.—Call DJA, DJB (German, English).
German Folk Song.
1.10 p.m.—Amusement Programme.
2 p.m.—News in German.
2.15 p.m.—Amusement Programme (continued).
2.55 p.m.—Greetings to our listeners in Australia.
3 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English.
3.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.
3.30 p.m.—Orchestral Concert.
4.30 p.m.—"Be it as it may, it was so beautiful!"
Music and Poetry.
5.15 p.m.—Sports Review.
5.30 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.
5.45 p.m.—Children's Hour: Children's Songs.
6.15 p.m.—Sign off DJA and DJB (German, English).
6.55 p.m.—Call DJE and DJB (German, English).
German Folk Song.
7 p.m.—Concert of Light Music.
8 p.m.—News in English.

8.15 p.m.—Greetings to our Listeners in the "Far East" and Call DJQ.
8.20 p.m.—Concert of Light Music (continued).
9 p.m.—News and Economic Review in German.
9.15 p.m.—Netherland Songs by Jan Koetsier.
Gerrit Muller, Tenor.
9.30 p.m.—The Christening.
Sketch by Maria Neukirch.
9.45 p.m.—Nocturne for violin, viola and flute by Hans Ahlgrimm.
Siegfried Borries, Heinz Breiden and the composer.
10 p.m.—News and Economic Review in English on DJE, DJQ in Netherlandish on DJB.
10.15 p.m.—To-day in Germany. Sound Pictures.
10.30 p.m.—Brigitte. A play with music by Messager. Prepared for the microphone by Hugo Hartung.
11.45 p.m.—Sports Review.
12 midnight.—Close DJE, DJQ, DJB (German, English).

RADIO MANILA

5.30 a.m.—Breakfast Hour of News and Music—English and Spanish Current Events and Vaudeville of the Air, conducted by Don Alva. Morning Exercises by Prof. G. T. Suva of the Insular Life Assurance Company.

7 a.m.—Sign Off.
8.30 a.m.—Nelson Financial Review and Musical Varieties.
11.15 a.m.—Sign Off.
2.30 p.m.—Nelson Financial Review and Musical Varieties.
3.45 p.m.—Sign Off.

6 p.m.—"Melody Lane," featuring Mario del Rio.
6.20 p.m.—Spanish Informational Period.
6.35 p.m.—English Informational Period.

6.55 p.m.—Stock quotations, through the courtesy of Swan, Culbertson and Frita.
7 p.m.—The Mystery Slinger.

7.15 p.m.—The Manila Motor Company presents Richard Humber and his Studebaker Champions.
7.30 p.m.—To be announced.
7.45 p.m.—Highlights from the opera "Porgy and Bess" by George Gershwin, performed by Helen Jepson, soprano, and Lawrence Tibbett, baritone with chorus and orchestra conducted by Alexander Smallens.

8.15 p.m.—Marke Weber and his Orchestra.
8.45 p.m.—Stock Quotations and Local Market Reports.
9 p.m.—"On Wings of Song" with Ramon Alberto.
9.15 p.m.—Musical Potpourri.
10 p.m.—Sign off.

GRAND VIZIER'S STATEMENT
Seville, Oct. 16.
Speaking in the name of the Grand Vizier of Spanish Morocco, his Secretary thanked the Spanish populace of Seville and Cordova in a radio broadcast, for the courtesy extended to the Grand Vizier during the latter's visit to these cities. The Grand Vizier, said the Secretary, had declared that the Moroccans were glad they were supporting the cause of the Nationalists from the beginning, and that after witnessing the existing conditions, he was willing to repeat the offer of financial support in the struggle of the Nationalists in Spain against Communism.
Transoceanic News Service.

REBEL ADVANCE ON MADRID
Paris, Oct. 16.
The Nationalist troops are now marching steadily on Madrid, according to the afternoon papers from Valladolid, which report that the towns Navas del rey Chapinera and Valdemagueda, have been taken and that Robledo is also occupied by General Mola's advance columns. The troops are now within 12 kilometres of Naval Carnero, which is the last stronghold of the Red Forces. It is also reported that the railway line Madrid-Valencia is in the hands of the Nationalists.
Transoceanic News Service.

CABALLERO GIVEN COMMAND
Paris, Oct. 16.
The Spanish Premier and War minister, Largo Caballero, has been appointed Commander-in-Chief of the defence forces of Madrid, according to a message here.
Transoceanic News Service.

NEW MILITIA LAW IN AUSTRIA
Vienna, Oct. 16.
The text of the new Front militia law was published on Friday in the official gazette. In addition to the details of this measure which have already been announced, this law contains provisions whereby all members of the semi-military organisations who became members before May, 1933, the day of the formation of the Patriotic Front, will automatically become members of the front militia. It is intended to complete this transference by January 1, 1937. In case of emergency, the Chancellor is empowered to employ the Front militia without previous consultation with the Cabinet.
Transoceanic News Service.

BELGIAN KING'S DECLARATION
Uncertainty As To Real Meaning
Paris, Oct. 16.
The Belgian Ambassador to Paris held a long conference on Friday with the Secretary General of the French Foreign Office. Uncertainty still prevails as to the real meaning of the Belgian King's declaration of Belgium's policy in the future. The "Paris Soir," summing up the present situation, says that all conjectures at this moment are inopportune since the Belgian Government has not yet taken up the issue, and it is expected that the measures will not be judged until they are passed or rejected. In a few days, so the paper states, the Belgian Government will provide the interested powers with an explanation which it proposes to put the King's declaration into harmony with Belgium's treaty obligations, and even now it is asserted, that the neutral-

ANY LETTERS
FOR YOU?

Post Office Notice

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REGISTERED ARTICLES
Bank of East India, Central European Trading, Henry Chow & Co., Connault Printing Press, Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co., Kingston Dental Co., Charles Nicholls, Poon Tak Ming, Seth Karanchand Rochiram.

RADIO TELEGRAMS
9279, from Swatow.
123, from Bangkok Sub.

OCCUPIED FACTORY REQUISITIONED
Paris, Oct. 16.
The Government took the unusual step of "requisitioning" by force of law dating from 1877, the Sautter-Harle factory in Paris, which has been occupied for 33 days by 1,200 strikers, carrying on a stay-in strike.

The factory had been entrusted with the manufacture of important items for the battle cruisers Dunkirk and Strasbourg, and the strikers even refused to hand over the secret construction plans to the Ministries concerned. The strikers were informed of the new situation created by the Government's step, and ordered to return to work by Monday at the latest.—Transoceanic News Service.

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ON VIEW FROM SATURDAY,
THE 17TH OCTOBER, 1936.

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ON VIEW FROM MONDAY,
THE 17TH OCTOBER, 1936.

TERMS—CASH ON DELIVERY.

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AUCTIONEERS.

PILSUDSKI GROUP

Warsaw, Oct. 16.

The formation of the Pilsudski Group into a new organization, which has been in progress for some time under the direction of the Commander of the Polish War Veteran Organisation, Colonel Koc, is now practically complete, and a report has been submitted to Government authorities.

It is reported that this organization's activities will extend to every field of Government affairs. The organization is in especially close alignment to the military department, but will not replace the political parties, which will however play but a slight role in future.

Transoceanic News Service.

ity policy will not collide with the obligations under the Locarno Pact and the League of Nations Covenant. The Belgian Government is of the opinion that the word "neutrality" is misleading, and that the English words "no entanglements" is more correct. The "Paris Soir" concludes by saying that in any case the two interested powers, France and England, can make no move until the Belgian Government has considered the measure and issued a complete explanation, and thus judgment must be reserved until doctrine becomes fact.—Transoceanic News Service.

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TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—"The Gorgeous Hussy"
QUEEN'S:—"Yours For The Asking"
ORIENTAL:—"Fury"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—"The Gorgeous Hussy"
MAJESTIC:—"The Unguarded Hour"
STAR:—"Sanders of The River"

Coming

KING'S:—"Women Are Trouble"
QUEEN'S:—"Brides Are Like That"
ORIENTAL:—"Three Godfathers"
ALHAMBRA:—"Counterfeit"
MAJESTIC:—"Rasputin And The Empress"
STAR:—"13 Hours By Air"

"THE GORGEOUS HUSSY"

Five distinguished actors of
peculiarly contrasting characteris-
tics, four of them as lovers, were re-
quired to impersonate the men
who figured in the life of glamor-
ous Peggy O'Neal in "The Gorge-
ous Hussy," which showing at the
King's and Alhambra Theatres.

Joan Crawford, in the title role
of this historical romance from
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, portrays
the lovely daughter of a Washing-
ton tavern keeper during the ad-
ministration of President Andrew
Jackson.

Jackson himself shielded her
from the savage attacks of Wash-
ington society. John Eaton, Sec-
retary of War, eventually married
her, but her first love was for
"Bow" Timberlake, the gay young
naval officer who married her and
sailed away to be killed. John
Randolph of Virginia loved her
from childhood but lost her. A
newspaper man was her friend
and loyal aide.

President Jackson is impersonat-
ed by Lionel Barrymore, the veter-
an star whose engaging personality
has captured millions through the
years of his brilliant career.

Robert Taylor, plays the part of
Timberlake, the dashing seaman
who made swift love to Peggy
O'Neal and swept her off her feet.
Franchot Tonne portrays Eaton,
the suave Secretary of War, who
married the little spitfire and was
when Washington revolted against
her.

Melvyn Douglas portrays the
tragic senator from Virginia, John
Randolph, who loved the girl more
deeply than all the others, yet lost
her when he remained true to his
own ideals.

James Stewart appears as the
Capital Hill newspaper man, in
love with Peggy O'Neal herself, but
remaining a constant friend long
after he knew the futility of his
emotion.

"The Gorgeous Hussy" is the first
picture to provide a reigning star
with four romantic leading men.
As the tavernkeeper's daughter,
Miss Crawford makes good use of
all of them.

SAFETY WITH SMILES

In an effort to develop greater
road sense among the motoring
community the National Safety
First Association is to issue a book-
let to each of the 2,500,000 drivers
within the next 12 months—a
move that has the blessing of the
Ministry of Transport. With the
cheery title of "Many Happy Re-
turns," the pamphlet is written
and illustrated in a light vein and
is intended to focus attention on
the major points of the Highway
Code and the consequences of a
mere casual perusal of these.
The Association, which has no
faith in the somewhat gruesome
and highly sentimental safety
propaganda favoured by several
foreign countries, notably, America,
has struck a new line in the ap-
plication of humour to the field of
accident prevention.

out loose ends. Perfectly suited to
the best abilities of its principals.

GREAT SUCCESS

University Union
Annual Dance

Conforming to the gaiety of the
Colony's social season the Hong
Kong University Union held one of
their most successful annual
dances on Saturday night.

The Great Hall of the University
was gallily decorated in festoons of
papiere mache of the "Varisty" co-
lours, and long before the closing
hour there was not even enough
dancing room for the throng which
packed the auditorium.

The staff of the University
mingled with the undergraduates
in the spirit of camaraderie. The
Vice-Chancellor, Sir William Hor-
nell, was present.

Light refreshments were served
during the interval, after which
Mickey's Melody Makers continued
to give of their best in the latest
dance music of the day.

QUIET WEDDING

A quiet wedding took place at
the Rosary Church on Saturday
afternoon, when Law Ming-ze was
married to Miss Lau Kin-wan.
Father H. de Angellis officiating.
The bridegroom, who resides at
No. 312, Nathan Road, is a clerk
attached to the Royal Naval Hos-
pital.

"UNGUARDED HOUR"

Loretta Young and Franchot
Tone form a delightful new roman-
tic screen team in Metro-Goldwyn-
Mayer's "The Unguarded Hour,"
now showing at the Majestic
Theatre.

The new picture, filled with ro-
mance, drama and mystery, gives
both players an excellent oppor-
tunity for their talents.



Loretta Young and Franchot Tonne
in "The Unguarded Hour"

Moving with lightning speed, the
Lawrence Weingarten production
concerns a prosecuting attorney
who sends men to their doom by
his brilliant use of circumstantial
evidence. When he is caught by
circumstance for a crime he has
not committed, his wife comes to
his aid to save his life.

Both Tonne and Miss Young are
outstanding in their respective
roles as the attorney and the wife.
Roland Young, as the friend of
the family, is exceedingly funny
while Lewis Stone is sterling as
the head of Scotland Yard.

Others who score in the mystery
thriller, directed by Sam Wood,
are Robert Greig, Dudley Digges,
Jessie Ralph, Allen Pringle and
Henry Daniell.

For real screen entertainment
you can't miss on "The Unguar-
ded Hour."

The mystery romance is based
on the stage play of the same
name by Ladislaus Fodor, the
English adaptation being made by
Bernard Merivale. The screen
play was written by Horace Jack-
son and Howard Emmett Rogers.



"Three's a crowd," says James Stewart to Wendy Barrie and Wel-
don Heyburn as they walk towards the camera for another scene
of "Speed."

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

MONDAY, OCTOBER 19.

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St.
Peter of Alcantara.
Auctions.—Household Furniture, 35
Hankow Road, Kowloon, 2.30 p.m.
Cinemas.

King's:—"The Gorgeous Hussy."
Queen's:—"Yours For The Asking."
Oriental:—"Fury."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"The Gorgeous Hussy."
Majestic:—"The Unguarded Hour."
Star:—"Sanders Of The River."
Dances.—Reel Practice at Helena
May, 5.31 p.m.; Chero Club Dance, 8
p.m.
Entertainments.—Farewell Concert at
Chero Club, 9.00 p.m.
Miscellaneous.—Re-opening of Hong
Kong Evening Institute.
Social.—Y.M.C.A. Whist Drive, in
West Lounge, 9.00 p.m.

Sports.
Tennis.—Entries close for Ladies'
Lawn Tennis Championships, at
U.S.B.C.
Moon.—IX Moon, 5th. Day.
Sunrise.—6.21 a.m. Sunset.—5.55
p.m.
Tides.—High at 12.14 and 22.59;
Low at 5.43 and 16.28.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 20.

Cinemas.
King's:—"The Gorgeous Hussy."
Queen's:—"Yours For The Asking."
Oriental:—"Three Godfathers."
World:—"Chinese Picture."
Alhambra:—"The Gorgeous Hussy."
Majestic:—"Rasputin And The
Empress."
Star:—"Sanders Of The River."
Miscellaneous.—Rotary Tiffin, Hong
Kong Hotel.
Moon.—IX Moon, 6th. Day.
Sunrise.—6.21 a.m. Sunset.—5.55
p.m.
Tides.—High at 11.30 and 22.12;
Low at 5.00 and 16.13.

ADVANCE IN CANCER TREATMENT

Longer Intervals In
Radiation

Improvements in the methods
used for treating cancer by the
radiations from X-rays or radium
are regarded by some authorities
as offering the best hopes for
solving the cancer problem.

The tendency in recent times has
undoubtedly been towards using
bigger doses of radiation, and the
well-known "bombs" of this sub-
stance containing several gram-
mes of radium have proved valu-
able in certain types of growth.

Behind all this has been the sug-
gestion, based upon some of the
early results with radium, that if a
big enough dose of radiation was
not given the cancer cells might
actually be stimulated to grow in-
stead of being "killed" or caused
to shrink away.

But modern studies on the radio-
sensitivity of cancer cells, some of
which are summarised in the cur-
rent issue of "The Lancet," suggest
that the fear is groundless as far
as the size of the dose is concerned,
provided that it is repeated often
enough.

After a small dose of radiation it
is found that cancer cells take a
longer time to recover than the
normal cells.

Hence, if second and subsequent
doses of radiation are given the
cumulative effect upon the cancer
cells is seen to produce successful
results, even although the total
dosage given may be smaller when
spread out in this way than with
the single big dose.

"BOMBS" STILL IN USE

Experimental work with cancer
cells has proved that this reason-
ing is sound, and already radiation
experts are employing the "frac-
tional" method of treatment for
cancer patients—smaller doses at
intervals.

Another point is that these in-
tervals are now made longer than
(Continued at foot of
next Column)

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"WOMAN ARE TROUBLE" "COUNTERFEIT"

A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture with CHESTER MORRIS

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IN "RASPUTIN AND THE EMPRESS"

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hitherto, because there is no longer

the fear that cancer cells may start

to grow, with longer intervals the

skin has a much better chance of

recovery.

It appears that in the absence of

a good supply of oxygen cancer

tumours become resistant to radia-
tion effects. Massive doses of
radiation may damage the blood

vessels and this is another reason
why smaller, repeated doses are
urged as being better than the very
large doses previously used.

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"bombs" will be discontinued; the
length of exposure can be shorten-
ed, and the penetrating power of
the large quantities of radium still
utilised.

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BANKRUPTCY COURT

Winding Up Petition Dismissed

At the Bankruptcy Court on Saturday morning, His Honour the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor dismissed a petition for the winding up of the Wah Keung Engineering Company. His Lordship held that any one partner, without the knowledge and consent of his fellow partners, could not bind them to a bankruptcy petition.

The petitioning creditor, Lau Man-yiu, was represented by Mr. F. H. Losby while Mr. M. A. da Silva watched the case on behalf of one of the partners in Canton and Mr. Peter H. Sin represented the largest creditor.

Mr. Losby said that the debt had been proved at the last hearing, when the suggestion was made that the debtor firm and one of the creditors were colluding. The question also arose as to whether one of the several partners could file the petition on behalf of the firm and Mr. Losby said that as he held that could not be done, he advised the partner concerned to get one of the creditors to file the petition, which was accordingly done.

If indeed that was collusion, then there had been collusion. Lau Man-yiu, under cross-examination by Mr. Silva said that the firm owed him about \$800 and he did not press for payment because he had hoped that the firm would be able to find a good footing again.

Yeung Chin-hin partner of the debtor firm stated that the machinery in the company, which was installed to manufacture knitting machines and parts, was originally bought for \$30,000 but was now worth only about \$5,000. This together with book debts totalling some \$1,500 were their only assets.

In answer to Mr. Silva, witness stated that in the interim attachment proceedings, he attempted to give the impression that his firm was one of good standing.

Mr. Silva: And now you are doing the reverse?—Yes.

His Lordship: Are both statements true?—Yes.

Then what happened in the few days between the two statements to bring about the catastrophic change?—Because I found that one of the partners from Canton was against me and . . .

His Lordship: And you decided to tell another story. It is no use for you to go on any further, as I have come to the conclusion that there was no act of bankruptcy, no meeting of the partners and no notice to the creditors. It was, in fact, the act of one partner only.

PETITION GRANTED
Mr. D. McCallum, representing 45 creditors of the Victoria Printing Press, brought a petition at the Bankruptcy Court, on Saturday for a receiving order against A. H. Roberts, the proprietor who, Mr. McCallum stated, had failed to pay the creditors their wages since April 1935. A receiving order was made in December 16, last, and the Official Receiver had been in possession ever since.

Evidence of substituted service was given by Chung Hon-ming and there being no objection by the Official Receiver, the petition was accordingly granted.

YOUTHFUL GANG OF THIEVES

A gang of four youths unsuccessfully sought to make a living by stealing blankets left to air in the backyards of their respective owners. The quartette appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday morning and several blankets were produced in evidence. Inspector W. R. Chester Wods told the court that all the blankets had been recovered from pawnshops. The defendants were bound over to keep peace.

VEHICLES COLLIDE

A collision occurred between a lorry and a tram-car at the junction of Queen's Road East and Arsenal Street on Saturday. No person was injured and the lorry was only slightly damaged.

FAR EAST HEALTH

Calcutta reported 11 cases of cholera and two of smallpox during the week ended October 10, while Phnom-penh and Osaka reported respectively two and one cases of the latter disease.

UNREGISTERED MUI TSAI

Proceedings For Committal

THREE WOMEN REMANDED

Three women were charged before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy, on Saturday, for keeping unregistered mui tsai at 13, Fung Fai Terrace, on October 10.

The accused were Chan Chat, 58, widow, 22 Fung Fai Terrace, Cheung Lan, 30, married woman, 23 Fung Fai Terrace, ground floor, and Chang Lau Shi, widow, 23 Fung Fai Terrace, whole house.

Mr. Leo D'Almada, senior, appeared for the defendants, while Inspector H. W. Fraiser prosecuted.

The first defendant was charged with keeping an unregistered mui tsai, Kam Chau Wal.

The second defendant was accused of keeping an unregistered mui tsai, Lam Kam.

Third defendant was charged with keeping six unregistered mui tsai.

The case was remanded for one week. It is for committal.

The first and second defendants were allowed bail of \$250 each, and the third defendant \$500 bail.

WALLET LOST

In a report to the Police, Corporal J. W. Walkden, physical instructor attached to King's and Queen's Colleges, stated that a red morocco leather wallet, valued at \$114, including the contents, was stolen from his hip-pocket between 9 a.m. and 12 noon on Saturday.

BOY INJURED

Michael Lo, of 16, Caine Road, received injuries to his right leg on Saturday night when the mud-guard of a car owned by Mr. A. F. Paul, grazed him as he stepped off the pavement in Queen's Road Central, near Zetland Street.

SEQUEL TO FATAL ACCIDENT

A remand was granted to the police by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court on Saturday morning in connection with a case against Ip Wah, lorry driver, who was charged with driving without due care and caution on October 16. It was revealed that the prisoner drove his lorry backwards on Tung Chau Road and was involved in an accident, as a result of which a man was killed.

R.E.O.C.A. DANCE

Well over 300 persons attended the supper and dance of the Royal Engineers' Old Comrades' Association at the Peninsula Hotel Rose Room on Saturday night.

The String Band of the Royal Welch Fusiliers, by kind permission of Major L. A. A. Alston, D.S.O., M.C., and Officers, rendered dance music.

Among the guests present were:—Lt.-Col. L. C. Reid, R.E., the Commanding Officer, Mrs. and Miss Reid, Lt.-Col. H. M. Fordham, R.E., Major B. B. Edwards, R.E., and Mrs. Edwards, Capt. and Mrs. Bader, Lieut. and Mrs. Chaplin, Lieut. and Mrs. Luckin and Miss Luckin, Lieut. and Mrs. Higgs, Lieut. and Mrs. G'ham, Lieut. Patullo and 2/Lt. Douglas.

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ABDUCTION ALLEGED

Girl Disappears From Home

COOLIE CHARGED

Wong Ping, 24, Public Works Department coolie, appeared before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday morning, charged with the abduction of Tai San Ying, unmarried girl, against the will of her mother. Detective Inspector Ellis, attached to the Secretariat of Chinese Affairs, prosecuted.

The prisoner told the Court that the girl had told him in July, 1935 that she was 17 years old. She followed him to Swatow of her own free will.

Det.-Inspector Ellis stated that the girl formerly resided at 184 On Chau Street with her mother until July 23, 1935, when she disappeared from home. Her mother made enquiries and was told that her daughter had gone to Swatow with the defendant. She travelled to Swatow and made her report to the police there. In October the same year she received a communication from the Swatow police asking her to go and get her daughter.

The Court granted a remand.

WHIST DRIVE

At the fortnightly whist drive held at the Craighower Cricket Club on Saturday, Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Russell and Mrs. Way won the ladies' prizes, while the gentlemen prizes were secured by Messrs. Williams, Nichols and Morgan.

FAIL FROM TRAM

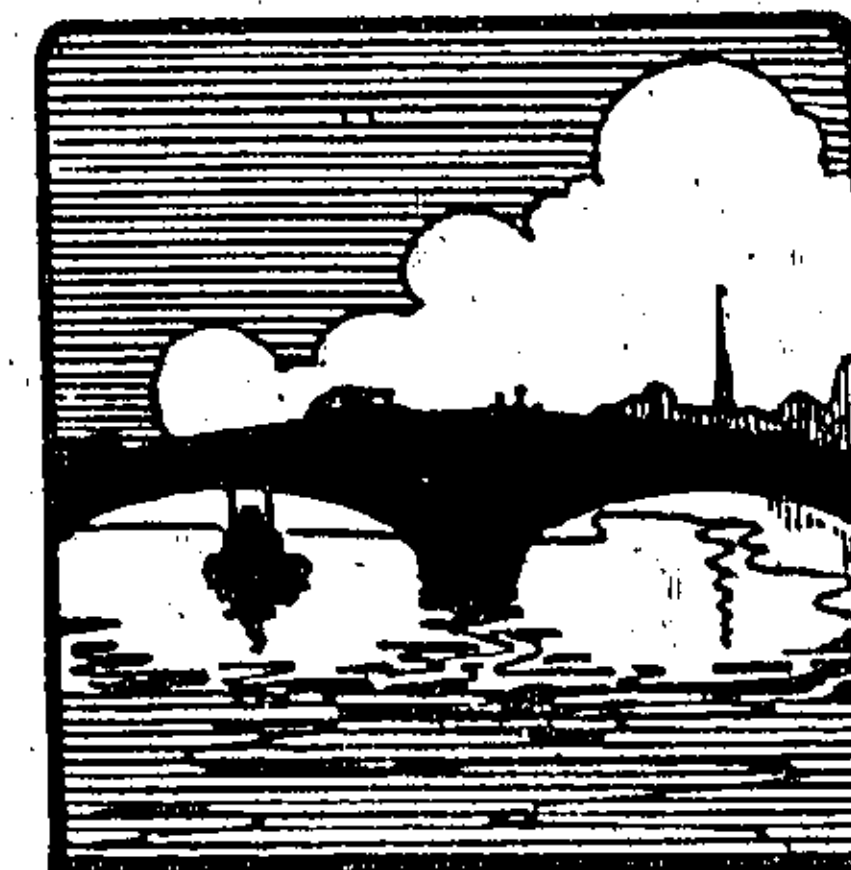
Attempting to alight from a tramcar while it was still in motion, a woman, Cheung Wai-chun, fell and hurt herself on Saturday. She received treatment at the hospital.

RICE THEFTS FROM STEAMER

While the s.s. Kutsang was lying alongside the No. 2 pier at the Kowloon Wharf on October 16, Ho Chiu, 29, an unemployed coolie, boarded the vessel and attempted to make away with one bag of dried rice, weighing 117 lbs. The man was formally charged before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday morning and received sentence of two months' imprisonment.

Another unemployed coolie, Chau Cheong, 32, also appeared before the magistrate, charged with receiving the bag of rice. He was bound over in the sum of \$10 for one year.

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HOSPITAL SUNDAY AT CATHEDRAL

Doctors And Ambulance Members Attend

The annual service for members of the medical profession and St. John Ambulance Brigade was held yesterday morning at St. John's Cathedral when the preacher was the Rev. H. W. Baines.

Among those who attended the service were Professor W. I. Gerrard, of the University of Hong Kong, Dr. S. S. Strahan, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Woo, Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Kirk, Dr. J. Howard Montgomery, Dr. G. A. C. Herklotz, Mr. A. Morris, Director of Ambulance, and Mrs. R. Langley, and members of St. John Ambulance Brigade.

During the afternoon gifts for distribution to local hospitals were received at the Cathedral.

Taking as his text, "I came that they might have life and may have it abundantly." (St. John, Chap. 10, v. 10) the preacher said in part—

"It is the common task of medicine and religion to make those words come true. And it is common to both Christianity and medicine that they attempt to do so without respect of persons. Lord Hecder speaking in London this week said that once a person has made the avowal, 'Doctor, I am a sick man. Please help me,' there must be no thought in the doctor's mind of who the patient is or what he is. There is no room either in the practice of medicine or the Gospel of Jesus Christ for parochialism. Neither the one nor the other can be parochial: both are international and universal in scope. Of course it follows that the ethical demands made upon two such professions for whom money making is not the principle purpose are correspondingly severe."

AN EYE-OPENER

Professor Ryde's address before the Hong Kong University Medical Society on the history of medical education in this Colony which he delivered last week was a fascinating eye-opener to me and I expect to many others. It made clear among other things how close and cordial has been the connection between the Medical College and University in Hong Kong and medical missionaries. This and particularly the association of the Alice Memorial Hospital with the Medical College is strikingly clear in the early days of medical education and I know to-day both how readily people in Hong Kong help missionary doctors and hospitals in other parts of China, personally and professionally and also that one at least of the eleven Chinese doctors who have qualified in Hong Kong during the last five years are the direct contribution of the University's Faculty of Medicine to the medical work of the Church in South China. The fact that less than 10 per cent. of those qualified in Hong Kong have gone into China and less than 1 per cent into missionary work can only inspire in us the hope that the moral and spiritual climate of the medical school may be such that in future the percentage will not be so low.

I have heard the question asked whether it is not regrettable that a medical education which was begun with a definitely missionary direction should have passed into the hands of a secular foundation such as the University. For my own part I do not think that the Church need grieve over this. It must rather rest in the assurance that young men and women are being trained to receive first rate qualifications and must remember to make the claim and needs of those for whom it works in hospitals and dispensaries up and down the coast and in the interior so clear both through the staff and students of the Medical Faculty that there shall never be wanting a supply of fit persons. We can look forward with confidence to the production of first class doctors and it only remains to say that the attitude of the Christian towards Professor Ryde's question of the field that the Hong Kong Medical Faculty is called to serve has already been answered in the recognition that you cannot confine science or scientists. Like new wine they will burst old bottles. We cannot imagine that it would be anything but a source of pride to Hong Kong that its University should provide pioneers in public health, devoted medical men for work in the Church and State far beyond its own boundaries.

SPIRIT OF UNDERSTANDING

During the last few years the need for doctors and persons to co-operate as workers for Christ to bring more abundant life has been increasingly recognised. In Hong Kong the spirit of under-

standing and friendliness shown by doctors to persons is cordial and encouraging. In this harmony we are following the lead that was given by the Lambeth Conference of our Bishops in 1930 when they definitely urged a greater co-operation between clergy and doctors following upon the success of the Archbishops' Committee which had for several years been regularly meeting in London. This Committee consists of six clergymen, one of them a Bishop as its Chairman and six leading doctors. The latter included in earlier days such people as Sir Maurice Craig, Dr. William Brown, and Dr. Hector Cameron. In 1934 a similar committee was set up in the diocese of Bristol under the leadership of the then Bishop, Bishop Nixon, and the movement is spreading. Generally the clerical side of such Councils has been mostly composed of parish priests with non-parochial clergy never exceeding two out of the six. Similarly the medical side of the Committee has always consisted chiefly of general practitioners with one or sometimes two consultants.

DEEP RESPECT

I am sorry if what I have said so far would have seemed more appropriate in a deliverance before a medical association but I believe it may not have been an impertinence if I have been able to show from the ordinary man's point of view how deeply we rely upon and respect the ministry of doctors, nursing sisters and the whole medical profession.

But if there is an inseparable connection in the receiving of Christ's more abundant life between medicine and religion that means that there is a most important and indispensable part to be played by our religion when we ourselves are ill and are patients in hospital, and indeed in the preservation of a fine level of health and of spreading what has been called the infection of a good courage. Let me refer to three matters only. The first two concern illness. In the first place there is no doubt, as of course we should expect, that the receiving of the Sacrament of Holy Communion when we are ill brings the healing and blessed presence of Christ immediately to us and I hope that nobody will ever feel that it is expecting too much to ask the Chaplain to visit them for Holy Communion in Hospital or at home. There is no claim that takes precedence over that.

LAYING ON OF HANDS

Secondly with the agreement of the medical advisor there are many kinds of illness in which the Sacrament of the Laying on of Hands such as is described in the Service of the Visitation of the Sick in the Prayer Book is of great power to heal. It is my general practice to give to all patients in hospital who are likely to be there for any length of time a copy of this Service together with some other prayers which if they themselves wish for it and with the doctor's permission we can always use together. And lastly the third matter concerns both health and sickness. There is no force more invisible and more powerful than your imagination which vitally affects your mental and physical health. You should come by prayer and the grace of God to train your imagination to become a dominant agent for your own health and well-being. There has got to be, if we are to recover mastery and to retain stability and peace in a not very easy world some new concentration, some new technique of spiritual discipline. If we live always in a worldly atmosphere and build up no defences against it, of course it invades and corrupts the soul.

MUST AVOID

But that is just what a Christian must avoid; in the world he must not be a slave of it. What do we think about while we are getting up or at other times when

"KING OLAF"

Presentation To Mr.
And Mrs. Miller

GOVERNOR ATTENDS PERFORMANCE

The Hong Kong Singers repeated their success of "King Olaf" (Elgar) at the China Fleet Club Theatre on Saturday night before a full audience, which included His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott and Lady Caldecott.

The concert was followed by a pleasing ceremony when His Excellency, who is the President of the Hong Kong Singers, on the invitation of the Chairman, Professor L. T. Ride, presented Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Miller with a parting gift from the Singers, consisting of a silver tray engraved with a dragon design.

His Excellency expressed regret at Mr. and Mrs. Miller's impending departure, and paid warm tribute to the work which both have done for music during their stay in the Colony.

Mr. Anderson Miller, in the course of his reply, expressed his gratefulness for all the support he had received from the Singers. He remarked that he was leaving the two local musical societies he had founded, the Hong Kong Singers and the Chinese Choral Society, as firmly established institutions, in the capable hands of his friend and colleague, Mr. Lindsay Lafford.

MARINERS WARNED

Torpedo Practice At Laichikok

A notice to mariners published in the "Government Gazette" states that torpedo ranging will be commenced early in November on the Laichikok Torpedo Range. During each run a red flag will be hoisted on the target and also on the end of the pier. The target is now in position, and is distinguished at night, by one white light. Until further notice vessels are warned against attempting to pass between Laichikok Torpedo Range and Chung Hue Rock while these red flags are displayed. The attention of all junks and other small craft is drawn to this notice.

HARBOR BORINGS

Another notice states that, commencing from Monday next, borings will be taken in the western portion of the harbour. A junk, which will show the signals for a vessel not under control, will be employed in these operations. All vessels should keep well clear of this junk.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH JUBILEE

A Thanksgiving Service to mark the Jubilee of St. Mary's Church was held in St. John's Cathedral yesterday afternoon. The preacher was the Right Rev. Mok Shau Tsang, Bishop of Canton. There was a full congregation present.

our mind is unemployed? Where does your imagination wander? If we mean business that is one of the first questions. If we follow trivial events first and say our prayers perfunctorily second how can we hope for faith and inward victory? If we go to bed devising evil of any kind how can we hope that our mind and imagination will not be a house divided against itself and by its distress keep us awake? We must garrison the gateways of our mind and imagination for God's Spirit to consecrate it. "I am the door" said Christ. Let Him be at the door of your imagination and mind early and late to beautify and bless all that your eyes light upon or that your ears hear. Would it not at least be a good start if we resolve to devote one-third of the time that most of us spend in listening to the news and succeeding editions of the newspapers to thought and meditation about God and the companionship of Christ and the things that are true, lovely and abiding. It is not all, but it would be a start and open the door to ampler discoveries.

Blessed is the man whose strength is in
These in whose heart are thy ways;

He shall not be afraid for any evil tidings,
His heart standeth fast and he loveth in the Lord
And this is the victory that overcomes the world.

PICNIC FOR THE BLIND

The Kowloon Tong Group of the V.D.M.A. acknowledge with grateful thanks the following donations towards the Picnic for the Blind which is being held on Saturday, October 24—

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SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS

Mr. V. T. Armstrong, the recently appointed President of the Far Eastern Division of the Seventh Day Adventist Mission arrived in the Colony by the s.s. President Jefferson on Friday en route to Manila to attend a conference there.

On his arrival he was met by Mr. P. L. Williams, the treasurer and secretary of the South China Mission branch.

NOT CERTAIN OF IDENTITY

Cheng Mu Yuen, 30, gardener, appeared before Mr. E. Himsforth at the Kowloon Magistracy on Saturday, charged with breaking into premises at 12, Duke Street at 3 o'clock the same morning. Mr. T. L. Jackson, the "householder," told the Court that he was sure he recognised the accused as the man who prowled in his rooms of whom he had but a second's glimpse in the moonlight. Mr. Himsforth discharged the defendant.

MAGIC FOR NEW YORK POLICE

It was not without a certain emotion that I opened Mr. David Devant's "Secret of My Magic," which appeared recently. That master illusionist, whose suave enjoyment of his own magic made it seem more uncanny, is now a complete invalid.

Among many good stories in the book is one told by Mr. Horace Goldin, a brother "magician." He was arrested in New York for speeding, and offered bail at the police station for \$100.

He was about to offer \$98 (which was all he had), when the official explained he could accept bail only from a third party.

Mr. Goldin's coloured chauffeur protested he had not a cent. But Mr. Goldin "palmed" his wad of notes into the pocket of the negro, who "nearly fainted" when he found what it contained.

The policeman counted it, and said it was \$2 short. So Mr. Goldin while himself counting the money, palmed a \$2 note from the pile into the chauffeur's pocket.

Next day, when his bail was returned, the police handed him back \$100. He thus cleared \$2 by his feat of magic. "Daily Telegraph" diarist.

LORD HARTINGTON

Leaves For Australia

Lord Hartington, M.P., Parliamentary Under Secretary of State for Dominion Affairs, accompanied by Lady Hartington, left Victoria Station recently for Dover on his way to Australia, which he is visiting at the invitation of the Commonwealth Government on the occasion of the centenary of South Australia.

Lord and Lady Hartington were seen off by relatives and friends, including their two sons and two daughters, Lady Rachel Stuart Lord Hartington's sister, the Marquess and Marchioness of Salisbury, the Duchess of Rutland, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Dominion Secretary, and Sir Archibald Weigall.

DIOCESAN OLD BOYS MEET

Headmaster
Welcomed

HAPPY REUNION AND FINE CONCERT

Happy memories were recalled when the Diocesan Boys' School Old Boys' Association held a reunion and smoking concert at the Chinese Merchants Club, on Saturday evening, to welcome back the Rev. C. B. R. Sargent, Headmaster of the School, who recently returned from home leave.

Over eighty members attended, among whom were:—Mr. Peter H. Sin (President), Dr. Li Shu-fan (Vice-President), the Rev. C. B. R. Sargent (Headmaster), Mr. E. C. Cock, Mr. E. H. Williams, Mr. J. Fleming, Mr. P. S. Cassidy, Rev. L. L. Nash, Mr. E. C. Thomas, Mr. B. J. M. Monks, Mr. A. G. F. Frew (Hon. Secretary), Mr. George She, Mr. B. Randall, Dr. Arthur Woo, Mr. W. N. Thomas Tam, Mr. Leung Kiu Wal, Mr. J. L. Youngs, Mr. A. Crawford (Hon. Treasurer), Mr. T. Gubbins (Los Angeles), and many others. The Hon. Dr. H. H. Kotewall, was unable to attend owing to indisposition.

CHAIRMAN'S SPEECH

Addressing the gathering Mr. Peter Sin—
"The purpose of the gathering here this evening is two-fold. The primary object is to welcome the return from his furlough of Mr. Sargent, the Headmaster of the school. The magnificent work Mr. Sargent has done for the school is so well-known to all of us that it would seem unnecessary for me to enumerate them. Suffice it to say, however, that since Mr. Sargent took over his office as Headmaster he has in fact enabled the D.B.S. to regain its place as one of the leading, if not the leading, school in this Colony. That this is due to the indefatigable work of Mr. Sargent there is no question. Gentlemen, in the name of the old boys, we tender to Mr. Sargent our heartiest welcome and wish him every success as he enters upon his second term of office."

RENEWING FRIENDSHIP

"Our secondary object in assembling here is to enable the old boys to meet together freely and informally in order to renew our past friendship. In the opinion of the Committee, gatherings of this nature ought to be encouraged as they afford us an excellent opportunity of meeting one another and to recall to ourselves the happy old schooldays. It is the intention of the Committee to arrange more socials of this kind in the near future."

"I take this opportunity also to welcome in our midst our honorary associates who have so kindly come to join us."

The Rev. C. B. R. Sargent thanked the Association for their welcome and said he was glad to be back again among old friends.

OLD SCHOOL TIE

During his stay in England Mr. Sargent visited quite a number of old boys, and mentioned that he met the late former Headmaster of the School, the Rev. W. T. Featherstone, in Surrey.

A search was made by Mr. Sargent while in England to find a suitable tie consisting of blue and red, the School colours. He managed to select one, and brought 36 ties back with him.

These ties were all purchased before Saturday's function was over.

A short play by the School Scouts, under the direction of Mrs. L. L. Nash, and songs by Mr. Gus D'Aquino, and community singing, provided splendid entertainment.

HOGARTHIAN MARKET

"Pedlar's Market," better known as the Caledonian Market—now threatened with extinction to make way for houses or flats—has been well described as the best approximation to a Hogarthian scene that modern London can show.

Many of the stories of treasures picked up there for next to nothing are doubtless fiction. But some are perfectly well authenticated.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

THE HONG KONG
JOCKEY CLUB

The Ninth Extra Race Meeting will be held (weather permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on Saturday, 24th October, 1936, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

By Order,

S. A. SLEAP,
Actg. Secretary.

Hong Kong, 19th October, 1936.

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A WAIL ACROSS
THE SEAS

All great movements have commenced as minorities which, in not a few instances have been hugely ridiculed. Therefore, let us be not too scornful of the latest movement which, it may be presumed, constitutes a minority which is likely to make itself heard. Saxophonists have decided to band themselves together for the purpose of winning "admiration and respect".

The movement is known as the National Association of Saxophonists, and, of course, it was started in America. From far across the seas comes the wail for "admiration and respect", and the most recent information is to the effect that other nations, proud of their civilisation and their saxophonists, have heard the wail and are answering same in that musical code which, we understand, can only be accurately decoded by those possessed of considerable anthropological knowledge and a keen sense of humour.

This new movement is quite refreshing. It is a worthy objective, and already half won.

There is no dearth of admiration for saxophonists. But respect is another matter. You may admire a saxophonist's ability to keep on tooting the thing by the hour, but if you live next door to him you can't respect him for it.

Just why saxophonists should choose this already troubled moment in world history to remind people that the League of Nations failed even to rid the world of saxophones is hard to say, unless the dangers to the profession have become acute since the advent of "swing" music. It is reported, for instance, that the National Association of Saxophone Players have issued a "declaration of independence," which suggests that somebody at the meeting said, "Boys, if we don't swing together, we'll swing separately."

And so the music goes round and round.

LORD KILBRACKEN
MARRIED

Marseilles, Oct. 18.

Lord Kilbracken was married privately at the British Consulate today to Miss Leonora Taylor, a young English hospital nurse who arrived from Java in the morning. The honeymoon is being spent in Italy.

Reuter.

DEATH OF SIR
JOHN HUNTER

Great Industrialist

London, Oct. 17.

The death has occurred of Sir John Hunter, one of Clydeside's greatest industrialists. He was connected with the firm of Sir William Arrol & Co., Ltd., engineers and contractors, when it built the Forth, Tay and Tower bridges.

Sir John Hunter was born in November 1863. He was director of the Iron Trades Employers' Insurance Association, Ltd., London and Glasgow; chairman, The River, Bolt and Nut Co., Ltd., Glasgow; chairman and director, North-West River, Bolt and Nut Factory, Ltd., Aldrie; chairman of Sir William Arrol & Co., Ltd., Glasgow; director Power and Traction Finance, Co., Ltd.

He was a Justice of the Peace for the County of Glasgow and held many decorations, including Commander of the Legion of Honour, Commander of the Order of Leopold, and Commander of the Order of the Crown of Italy.

Reuter's Bulletin Service

NOVELIST DEAD

London, Oct. 18.

The death has occurred of Madame Albanesi, the novelist.

Madame Albanesi (Elle Henderson) was a widow, her husband Le Chevalier Carlo Albanesi having died in 1926. They have one daughter. The late Madame Albanesi's publications included *Peter, a Parasite* (Published in 1901), *Love and Louisa*, *Marian*, *Sex*, *A Young Man from the Country*, *The Cap of Youth*, *The Glad Heart*, *Olivia Mary*, *Sally*, *When Michael Came to Town*, *Truant Happiness*, *Diana Falls in Love*, *Truth in a Circle*, *The Moon Through Glass*, *Meggie Albanesi* (1928), *The Sunlit Hills*, *The Strongest of all Things*, *The Brown Eyes of Mary* and *The House that Jane Built*.

CHINA PRODUCTS
EXHIBITION

Nanking, Oct. 18.

It is reported that the National Economic and Reconstruction Society is busy with plans for organizing a National Exhibition of home-made products and manufactures.

The organizing committee is at present engaged in planning the exposition buildings, and considering the ways and means for collecting the exhibits from the different provinces.

It is said that the exhibition may be held in the Government Museum of Arts and Crafts in April 1937.

Chinese Evening Press.

YUNNAN RAILWAYS

Kwanming, Oct. 18.

The construction of the Pih Hong-Shek Ping Railway commenced in 1913, the Pih section being completed in 1921.

In 1928 the Kai Shek section was completed and opened to traffic. Work on the construction of the Shek Ping section was commenced in 1929, and will be opened to traffic in November this year.

It is said that the whole length of this railway is 776 miles, and is now completed. The opening ceremony took place on the "Double Tenth" Anniversary, and was attended by over ten thousand of the local inhabitants besides interested visitors.

Chinese Evening Press.

YOUNG CHINESE
AVIATOR

Shanghai, Oct. 18.

It is reported that a young Fukuensis aviator named Hsu Kung-hing, who flew from Holland to Java in September last, and who is known to be keenly interested in Chinese aviation, has decided to fly from Java to China.

From Java he will be fly to Singapore, Saigon, Hanoi, and from thence to Hong Kong, and from Hong Kong he will fly to Canton, Amoy, Shanghai and then straight to Nanking.

It is said that he will use the same aeroplane in which he flew from Holland and that he will be accompanied by his young wife as a companion.

Chinese Evening Press.

STEWARTS
AND LLOYDS
DEVELOPMENTS

Important developments were announced recently by Stewart and the Lancashire Steel Corporation.

There are three separate points of interest in the Stewart and Lloyds announcement. In the first place they are increasing the iron and steel ingot capacity of the Corby works by the substantial figure of 150,000 tons a year. The reasons for this extension are that demand from the tube works for Corby steel is increasing and that there is a necessity for replacing Continental supplies of Basic Bessemer steel. In the second place an agreement has been made with the important Lancashire Steel Corporation by which the latter will erect at Corby a new precision-type bar mill and for a long period of years will take a considerable portion of the Stewart and Lloyds output of billets and slabs. In other words the company will secure a guaranteed outlet for a large tonnage of semi-finished material. The agreement also provides for cooperation with the Lancashire Steel Corporation in similar developments at Corby in future. It is understood that these extensions at Corby received the approval of Sir Andrew Duncan, the head of the British Iron and Steel Federation, which is responsible for rationalizing the development of the steel industry.

A NEW SHARE ISSUE

The third point of importance is that Stewart and Lloyds are issuing the whole of their unissued Deferred shares, which will bring the paid-up capital up to £7,370,275. These shares, numbering 1,042,910, will be offered at 25s. a share (the present market price is 34s. 6d.), realising about £1,355,000. In the proportion of one share for every five now held to holders of the Deferred stock and also to holders of Liaison Deferred shares (of which there are 625 of £1 each), but each of these shares will rank as equal to £1,000 of Deferred stock. Shareholders will be glad to learn from the circular that the profits for the first eight months of this year show an increase on last year and that the monthly profits for the rest of the year are likely to show a further improvement. This reflects the activity in the iron and steel industry, but the improvement is the more notable because since the breakdown of the International Steel Tube Cartel profits in foreign markets must have been difficult to earn. A meeting of the various parties interested in the revival of the International Steel Tube Cartel will be held later.

CHINA'S OPIUM
ADDICTS

Nanking, Oct. 18.

With the exception of four provinces in which difficulties prevented a proper census being taken, it has been ascertained by the Central Opium Suppression Society that counting up to the month of September last, the total number of opium addicts is 2,641,101.

The provinces of Chekiang, Shantung, Nanking and Chinghai are excluded because of their objections to suppression. Other outlying territories such as Chahar, Sikang, Chihli and Chinese Turkestan are not included owing to the difficulties in the way of census taking.

The province of Kwangtung and Kwangsi have only quite recently been included in the opium suppression areas, so no census has been taken yet.

Chinese Evening Press.

INSURED PERSONS
IN EMPLOYMENT

The Ministry of Labour estimated the number of insured persons in employment at the end of September provisionally at 10,988,000 pending the next periodical verification of figures. This enquiry has now been concluded and it has become clear that the total is in fact well over 11,000,000.

British Wireless.

LATE SIR GODFREY
COLLINS

London, Oct. 18.

The funeral of Sir Godfrey Collins, Secretary for Scotland, who died in Switzerland on Tuesday, took place in Glasgow today. A public service was held in the Glasgow Cathedral.

British Wireless.

HONG KONG RIFLE
ASSOCIATION
Week-End Shooting Begins

The first week-end Spoon and Practice Shoot of the present season was held by the Hong Kong Rifle Association on the Naval Range at Stonecutters on Saturday afternoon, when in spite of other attractions elsewhere approximately thirty members competed for the usual silver spoons. This number would have been very much larger, had it not been decided that in view of the restricted target accommodation available, affiliated members of the Association, belonging to the Regular Army, could not be allowed to take part.

Taken as a whole, the standard of shooting was above the average, for, as will be seen below, there were seven scores of 90 or over. Sgt. Blandford of the Royal Marines coming easily first with a very creditable score of 95. Another noteworthy performance was that of Lieut. F. P. Sequiera of the Volunteer Defence Corps, who has been shooting for a short time only with the "1914" rifle, and who improves his score every time he fires.

It is not without interest to note that of the scores of 90 and above, two were made by the Royal Navy, one by the Royal Marines, two by the 1st Bn. Royal Ulster Rifles, and two by members of the Volunteer Defence Corps, which goes far to prove that this season should produce a standard of shooting far in advance of that which took place during 1935-36.

The leading scores made on Saturday afternoon on the Naval Range at Stonecutters were as follows:

S.R.	(B)	Score			Aggregate
		at 200 yds.	at 500 yds.	at 600 yds.	
Ass'n	H'd'p	Nett	Nett	Nett	Nett
1.—Sgt. Blandford	1	33	32	30	95
2.—C.P.O. Fellow	—	33	29	30	92
3.—C.Q.M.S. Wallace	4	29	30	32	91
4.—S.I.M. Hill	Scr.	27	33	31	91
5.—2/Lt. Wan	2	31	31	29	91
6.—Lieut. Sequiera	3	27	30	33	90
7.—Lieut. Berlyn	Scr.	30	30	30	90
8.—Sgt. Mannell	4	31	29	28	88
9.—Mr. Johnson	2	30	29	28	87 (a)
10.—Mr. Austin	3	30	30	27	87
11.—L/Cpl. Peters	Scr.	31	31	25	87
12.—Sgt. Warwick	Scr.	29	34	24	87
13.—Pte. Quah	2	28	31	25	84
14.—Arm. Cpl. Butterfield	2	27	28	28	83
15.—L/Cpl. Bainborough	7	30	31	21	82
16.—L/Sgt. Cheshire	2	29	28	23	80

(a)—Denotes that the S.R. (B) rifle was used. All other competitors used the "1914" rifle.

There were not sufficient S.R. (a) entries to allow of a spoon being awarded.

NORTH CHINA AND
MANCHURIA

Through Air Service
Contemplated

Peiping, Oct. 17.

The first fruits of Sino-Japanese economic co-operation in North China materialised when an agreement, in principle, was reached for through air traffic between North China and Manchuria.

A special company, called the Hai Tung Company, is being organised to handle the air traffic which will be run in accordance with the Chinese Civil Aviation Law.

Reuter.

STRIKE SETTLED

Paris, Oct. 18.

The strike of the inland-water lightermen was unexpectedly settled in the early hours of Friday, when after negotiations lasting all night an agreement was reached through the efforts of the two Government mediators.

In Paris the district trade union has already ordered the obstacles placed in the rivers to be removed, but reports from Rouen indicate that the agreement may be rejected there.

Transocean News Service

SPANISH GOLD
FOR FRANCE

(Hong Kong Daily Press) Special

Paris, Oct. 17.

While unloading the steamer *Tramontana*, which arrived at Marseilles from Spain on Saturday, it was revealed that the main cargo consisted of chests of gold worth over 400,000,000 francs which was intended for the Bank of France.

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MEMBERSHIP INCREASING

The Individual Full Membership of the Association still continues to grow, the number of such members being, at the moment, 352, an increase of 22 in the last month, while a further increase is expected during the next week.

As some doubts exist as to the qualification necessary for those who wish to be considered as possible representatives of the Colony in the "Junior Kolapore" and the "Junior Mackinnon" inter-colonial matches which are held at the Imperial Meeting at Bletley each year, a letter has been sent to the Council of the National Rifle Association asking that this definition may be amplified. Should the reply be on the lines expected, there is no doubt that this Colony stands an exceedingly good chance of winning either, if not both, of these competitions, but unfortunately, as so many Colonial teams find to be the case, the fickleness of the wind at Bletley coupled with the difference in the clearness of the atmosphere, as well as the rapidly changing light, all play havoc with what otherwise might have been a very fine score. However, the next Imperial Meeting is some months ahead, and as those who are likely to represent the Colony are either at home already or will be returning home shortly, there will be plenty of opportunity for them to get practice before the commencement of the Imperial Meeting itself.

RUSSIAN WOMEN
REFUGEES IN
FAR EAST

The following letter was published in the "Times" on Oct. 1:

Sir,—One of the greatest international problems of the day is that of the refugees. While not desiring to distract attention from this problem as a whole, we venture to appeal through your columns for a particular section of these unhappy people—the Russian women in Manchuria and Northern China—whose tragic situation must press heavily on all who know the facts.

Many of these people fled from the Russian Revolution in the years 1919-20, and a number belong to the educated classes. Others were at that time working in the railway zone of North Manchuria, and lost their employment when the Revolution occurred, and since the occupation of Manchuria and the subsequent sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway, their possibilities of livelihood have dwindled to vanishing point. The Chinese Government have admitted these Russians to their country without restriction, but the fact remains that they are entirely destitute, and no person or country admits responsibility for them.

The Chinese peasantry in Manchuria are sometimes obliged by sheer poverty to sell or pawn their own daughters into the local brothels, and a number of Russian women, stranded in Manchuria, had to obtain food for their children in the same way. Reports are unanimous that the position of the population of Russian origin in Manchuria is deteriorating daily, while it is estimated that 22½ per cent. of the Russian women in Shanghai are either prostitutes or very near to being so.

Little can be done for the older women now, and there is also a small percentage who are totally demoralized by their experiences. The majority, however, are of different character, and it seems terrible that so many should be doomed to have no chance of life apart from prostitution. Help is also imperative for the children of the early refugees, and of those who were already in Harbin, Mukden, Shanghai, or Peiping, and who are now from 15 to 25 years of age.

At the meeting of the Assembly of the League of Nations in 1935 it was decided that if possible funds should be raised through voluntary organizations, and distributed under the direction of an agent, who would co-ordinate the work of benevolent societies and arrange for relief and training. A certain amount of relief work is now being done, and it seems possible that the services of a voluntary and expert organizer will be available. Ten thousand pounds would do much to clear up the unhappy situation, and would be used by the agent to organize (a) preventive work among children and young people, (b) direct help, of food and shelter where necessary, and of small loans to enable women to obtain posts or to set up in business, (c) the establishment of hostels and workshops, &c., and, in addition, to supplement efforts already being made by Christian organizations, working in that area.

Twenty-two British organizations have asked us to make this appeal, which is also supported by a group of Russian women in London. It is felt that if Great Britain would give a lead in raising part of this money, other countries would follow their example. Donations should be made payable to the Dowager Lady Nunburnholme, and addressed to her, care of British Appeal Committee R.W.R. Livingstone House, Broadway, S.W. 1.

We are yours faithfully,
Rachel E. Crowdy, Catherine Gallizne, Dorothy Gladstone, Marjorie Nunburnholme.

BURMAH OIL

Interim Dividend Increased

The directors of the Burmah Oil Company have declared an interim dividend on the Ordinary stock at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum, less tax at 3s. 7d. (being amount of British Income-tax, less relief in respect of Dominion Income-tax). The payment at this time last year was 3½ per cent., and was followed by a final of 16½ per cent.

The directors wish it to be understood that the increase in the interim dividend is not to be considered as an indication of an increase in the total dividend, which must depend on the results for the full year.

"MENACE" OF
OFFICIALDOM

Laws Not Made By
Parliament

LORD HEWART'S
CRITICISM

Britain's system of allowing Government departments to frame regulations which have the force of law—without effective Parliamentary supervision—was strongly criticised by the Lord Chief Justice of England, Lord Hewart, in an address of Witwatersrand University.

Referring to what he called "the unchartered pretensions of bureaucratic assumption," he said:—"There are those who think—or, at any rate, say—that criticism of the bad side of bureaucracy is an attack upon the Civil Service. It is, of course, nothing of the kind."

"Everyone who has eyes to see can perceive the system that is at work. Partly under the pretext that Parliament has so little time to spare, and partly under the pretext that there is a public demand for so many varieties of legislation, statutes are enacted in skeleton form, which empower some department or other to frame regulations, or to make orders."

NO EXCUSE

"Even if it were granted for the sake of argument alone that some such method of legislation has become an odious necessity, that proposition would not furnish the smallest excuse for framing regulations without effective Parliamentary supervision, or for making orders which are intended to ignore judicial authority."

"Yet regulations in bewildering numbers are made in the absence of real Parliamentary control."

"They are clothed with the force of statutes so as to escape the jurisdiction of the law courts, while departmental orders are made as to which it is expressly provided that the mere making of them is to be conclusive evidence that the requirements of the statute have been fulfilled, or alternatively, that they shall not be adjudicated upon in any court of law in proceedings of mandamus, certiorari, prohibition, case stated, or otherwise."

DEFENCE OF THE PUBLIC

Criticism of this type of administrative lawlessness did not, he said, arise from judicial "amour propre."

"The independence and authority of the judges are the protection and defence of the public," Lord Hewart went on to say. "The judges have not the smallest personal interest in the matter."

"But it becomes increasingly clear that if the public will not control anonymous and sheltered officialdom, then anonymous and sheltered officialdom may some day control the public, and that, too, not merely in domestic, but conceivably also, it would seem, in international affairs."

GERMANY'S FOREIGN
TRADE

(Hong Kong Daily Press) Special
Berlin, Oct. 17.

German foreign trade returns for the month of September show that exports exceeded imports by 76 million reichsmarks, this being so far the most important foreign trade month in 1936. The export surplus in August was 63 and in July 49 million reichsmarks total export surplus attained in 1936—of which every single month showed greater or smaller export surplus—being altogether 321 million reichsmarks.

This is the most favourable result obtained since 1934 in which year there was an import surplus of only 235 million reichsmarks, while in 1935 the export surplus was only 117 million.

Imports in September 1936 amounted to 336 by comparison with 346 in August 1936, or a reduction of nearly three per cent., while exports in September were 412 as against 409 million in August 1936.

Transocean News Service.

RAS NASIBU DEAD

Davos, Oct. 17.

Ras Nasibu, the Ethiopian chief, has died here of consumption.

Reuter.

SCHUSCHNIGG'S LEANINGS TOWARDS THE HAPSBURGS



Archduke Otto has been patiently waiting to be recalled to the throne of Austria.

Surprise For Fatherland Officials

DECLARES MOVEMENT TO BE LEGAL

Only Plebiscite Can Settle The Question

Vienna, October 18. Much surprise was caused in a speech by Dr. Schuschnigg, Chancellor of Austria, to 1,200 Fatherland Front officials. The Chancellor declared that the Legitimist movement was legal and foreshadowed a plebiscite.

On the question of the future form of the Government, the Chancellor said that Austria was for ever united historically with the Hapsburg family who had done so much for the country. A section of the people favour restoration because they expect that improved condition will result therefrom.

RIOTING IN BOMBAY

Trouble Spreading To Mill Area

FORTY SIX DEATHS

Bombay, Oct. 17. A disgusting feature of the rioting is that it is slowly spreading to the densely populated mill area inhabited mostly by Hindu labourers in the northern part of the city where the unwarly Moslems were attacked this evening. Two were killed and ten injured.

Despite the curfew, disturbances occurred at a number of places necessitating police firing.

To-day's casualties were nine killed and 100 injured, making 46 killed and 440 injured in three days.

—Reuter.

FAMILY RESCUED

Bombay, Oct. 17. An incident occurred during the rioting when a Hindu family of five women, four children and an old man were surrounded by an angry crowd of three hundred Moslems who threatened to set their house on fire.

A Moslem policeman single-handed kept the crowd back until assistance arrived to disperse the crowd and rescue the family.

—Reuter.

PEOPLE IN FLIGHT

Bombay, Oct. 17. The night passed off without further organised violence, though a few cases of stray assaults and stabbing in remote by-lanes occurred. An exodus of the panic-stricken people in the affected areas began yesterday, the outgoing trains being over-crowded.

The police were called out on six occasions in the course of this morning to fire on rioters, looters and incendiaries, the latter being responsible for burning down a Hindu temple.

An idea of the ferocity of the clashes can be had from the fact that an injured and suffering boy of fourteen was first stabbed and then hacked to pieces.

Rioting has now spread to the heart of the city, Hindus masquerading as Moslems and vice versa, in order to exploit attacks and looting. Strictly orthodox Hindus and Moslems are dressed as Europeans in order to avoid attack, as those leaving their houses without this precaution are attacked by both factions. The men have also come in for their share of attention for, clad only in a piece of loin-cloth, they fall an easy prey to the hooligans.

STONE SLINGS

The stone-throwers have become very expert with their slings, reaching a longer range than the police with their revolvers. The attackers hide in the cleverest fashion in houses and lanes, barely ten yards wide, causing the police to use decoys to draw out the rioters. The decoys are then showered with missiles, and the point from which they are thrown is then rushed by the police, under shields three feet wide.

—Reuter.

PRINCE VALDEMAR SERIOUSLY ILL

Great Uncle Of King Edward

Gmunden, Oct. 17. Anxiety is felt in Austria over the condition of Prince Valdemar of Denmark, aged 78, a great-uncle of King Edward. He is seriously ill with bronchitis and his condition became worse to-day.

—Reuter.



Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg's speech has revived hopes of return of the Hapsburg monarchy.

BELGIAN KING'S DECLARATION

Ambassador Clears The Air

London, Oct. 17. The British Government has under consideration the communications made by the Belgian Ambassador in London to the Foreign Secretary on Thursday and Friday.

On the second of these occasions Baron de Cartier de Marchienne was in a position to respond to Mr. Eden's desire for elucidation of the declaration made by King Leopold at the meeting of the Belgian Cabinet on Wednesday. These communications and reports reaching London from Brussels and Paris have made clear that the earliest interpretations of the Royal speech failed to do justice to intention of the Belgian Government to stand by its existing obligations including those arising from the Four-Power Agreement of March 19.

Both in official quarters and in unofficial comment it is possible to discern relief and satisfaction with which that elucidation has been received.

Meantime public interest aroused by the Belgian Government's move is unabated. The "Daily Telegraph" thinks that Belgium has done more than introduce a fresh element of uncertainty into European calculations. Her attitude, however natural in the geographical and political situation in which she is placed sensibly diminishes the prospect of a new Locarno that would give promise of security to Western Europe.

DISCONCERTING EVENT
Mr. Winston Churchill in his speech last night referred to the Belgian King's declaration which he described as "another melancholy and disconcerting event in Europe." He expressed the hope that the declaration might be taken rather as a demand for clarification of the situation in the West and an expression of the deep and natural anxieties of the Belgian people in the presence of immense and ever-growing armaments of Germany than as a decision of policy.

The Chancellor closed the address with a stirring declaration "I am no dictator and never wish to be one, but I am an Austrian and my endeavours are directed towards supporting the constitution and its further development in order to consolidate Austria."

—Transocean News Service.

ELEVEN KILLED IN EGYPT

Train Crash Into Waiting Crowd

NAHAS PASHA'S RETURN

Cairo, Oct. 17. Eleven persons were killed, of whom four were students, and three students and one policeman were injured when the Cairo-Alexandria express crashed into an enthusiastic crowd swarming the line at Tonk Station to welcome Premier Nahas Pasha, who was going to Cairo from Alexandria on his return from signing the Anglo-Egyptian treaty in London.

The furious crowd attacked the engine driver. The police held the express up for a considerable time for enquiries.

Nahas Pasha reached Cairo at 4.45 p.m. and was mobbed by delirious crowds, some of whom broke the police cordons and jumped on to the engine of his train which was compelled to halt outside the station.

Cairo is en fête to-night with illuminations.

—Reuter.

HOME RULE FOR SCOTLAND

Statement By Duke Of Montrose

London, Oct. 17. Home rule for Scotland was voiced by the Duke of Montrose at the Scottish Liberal conference.

He declared that Scotland was growing poorer annually and Parliament was too busy with general affairs to attend to Scotland. He maintained that home rule did not involve separation from the British Isles.

The conference passed a resolution to the effect that the economic plight of Scotland was a matter of very grave concern and directed that a committee be appointed to enquire into it.

—Reuter.

SITUATION IN PALESTINE

Two More Incidents Reported

Jerusalem, Oct. 17. After a few days of quiet, Arab attacks started again when two patrols of the Buffs were fired on by Arab tribesmen near Acre.

Reinforcements in lorries came up and chased the tribesmen for over a mile. It is understood that three Arabs were killed, while one officer and one private were slightly wounded.

Popular anxiety has been aroused by the Acre skirmish and shooting of two Arabs near Tel Aviv this morning by unknown persons.

It is hoped there will be no repercussions as the vast majority is eager to resume trade and recoup the losses of the past months.

Meanwhile the Arabs and Jews are busy preparing material for submission to the Royal Commission. Military precautions continue. The Scots Guards are on picket duty. The smart sentries are watched by the admiring natives.

—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

LORD NUFFIELD'S GIFT TO BLIND

London, Oct. 17. Following his £1,250,000 gift for Medical Research at Oxford University, it was announced to-day Lord Nuffield has given £35,000—to be spread over seven years—to the National Institution for the Blind to develop supply of talking books (similar to gramophone records).

Last year Lord Nuffield gave £5,000 to assist this service which was started about two years ago with the help of St. Dunstan's and soon 600 machines were in the hands of blind people. Satisfied that the books are meeting a great need, Lord Nuffield decided to make a further large gift.

—British Wireless.

U.S. PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

Candidates Active

New York, Oct. 16. With the approach of the date of the Presidential election the activities of the candidates are increasing.

President Roosevelt was returning to New York State after a tour of 5,000 miles from Denver to Detroit when Governor Alfred Landon, who was returning to Kansas, made a surprise move by suddenly announcing his decision to dash into California, which State, he told pressmen, he expected to carry. Mr. Alfred Smith has arranged to confer with Governor Landon when the latter comes to New York City at the end of the month for his final big speech in his campaign.

The Socialist candidate, Mr. Norman Thomas, predicts the election of President Roosevelt, "not because I wish it, but because the people are going to vote for him." Mr. Thomas appeals for a large Socialist vote as a flag of warning to Mr. Roosevelt.

—Reuter.

FLYING BOATS AT MALTA

Malta, Oct. 17. The new squadron of five flying boats en route to Singapore arrived here to-day.

—Reuter.

MADRID PREPARING FOR ORDEAL

PREMIER ASSUMES COMMAND

Thousands Of Arrests In The City

Madrid, October 18. Exactly three months since the outbreak of the insurrection, Madrid is preparing uncomplainingly for the ordeal which is plainly approaching. The capital is now plunged in darkness at 10 p.m., the hour day life normally began. Severe heating and lighting restrictions accentuate the food stringency, due to the need for provisioning a hundred thousand militiamen of the new army and thousands of prisoners.

All able-bodied men are now under arms, fighting at two vital points, the Naval Feral and Estramadura front and along the Toledo main road. The insurgents recently progressed first, but apparently are held up on the Toledo road which strengthened the government morale and encouraged the popular feeling that Madrid shall and must be the tomb of Fascism.

The appointment of Premier Largo Caballero as supreme military commander has also increased confidence.

The Government claim to have completely rounded up the so-called fifth column of which General Franco boasted, saying he would take Madrid with four columns outside the one already inside.

Thousands of arrests have been made in the past few days, and both their custody and nourishment are bound to be embarrassing to the Government in the present circumstances.

—Reuter.

MADRID-VALENCIA RAILWAY

Under Fire From Insurgent Artillery

Lisbon, Oct. 18. It is reported that the insurgents operating from Toledo advanced seventeen miles on a front of twenty-two miles. Columns from Burgos and elsewhere captured a number of towns and villages near Aranjuez with a view to cutting off railroad communications with Madrid.

The vital Madrid-Valencia railway, over which the capital receives its main supplies, is now under the fire of insurgent artillery. If they capture this railway it would mean that Madrid would only have one main road to Valencia as the last line of communication with the outside world.

—Reuter.

HELP COMES TO OVIEDO

Nationalists Relieve Garrison

Paris, Oct. 18. A radio message from Seville says that the insurgents consisting of shock troops, volunteers and Foreign Legionaries triumphantly entered Oviedo, joining up with the troops of the garrison.

It is declared that the Government forces lost 5,000 killed in the fighting on the Oviedo front.

All insurgent radio stations are announcing the relief of Oviedo and enthusiastically hail the liberation of the capital.

—Reuter.

SPANISH CRUISER CREW MUTINIES

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Paris, Oct. 17. The crew on board the cruiser Campeador mutinied and seized the officers and formed a sailors' council, according to a message from Tenerife.

It is stated that the action was followed by refusal of the captain of the ship to obey orders from Madrid.

—Transocean News Service.

SPANISH MINISTERS IN CONFLICT

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Riga, Oct. 17. Following the resignation some time ago of the Spanish minister to Latvia, de Enelo, the Madrid government appointed the lawyer and writer, Fubán, to be his successor. Fubán arrived at Riga on Friday, but ex-minister de Enelo has annexed a plate to the door of the house, which also served as the legation, describing himself as accredited representative of the Burgos government.

—Transocean News Service.

CURBING ROWDY ELEMENTS

East End Citizens' Committee Formed

London, Oct. 17. The Home Secretary, Sir John Simon, has intimated his willingness to receive a deputation from the East End of London regarding public order and the alleged provocative behaviour of Fascist bodies. In an address at Leicester last night, he spoke of the question as very pressing and the difficult problem which they should tackle in the single interest of preserving the essentials of British citizenship.

In the meantime, on the initiative of the Warden of Toynton Hall, an East End Citizens' Committee has been set up and the presidency has been accepted by the Archbishop of Canterbury with the object of uniting the churches and social organisations of the district in an effort to preserve order through insistence on the principles of self-control and tolerance which are the essential basis of democracy. In this way the promoters of the movement hope to prevent deterioration of the situation before it becomes serious.

Rowdism, which has been cause of the recent troubles, is so such small dimensions that the authorities can cope easily with it if and so long as the public itself avoids becoming involved through thoughtless factions.

—British Wireless.

NEW RECRUITING EXPERIMENT

Trial Service For Six Months

London, Oct. 17. A new experiment in recruiting for the British Army is being tried out. Eighty youths enlisted will serve for six months in the British army, after which time, if they do not like to continue, they will be at liberty to leave. The experiment has now been on for six weeks and so far there have been only two drop-outs, one saying the army pay was not sufficient, while the other complains he does not get enough food.

—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

HOURS OF WORK INCREASED

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Hamburg, Oct. 17. In contrast with the attitude prevailing in many countries where workers are striking for a shorter working week, the German regional leader of the Hamburg district, Kaufmann, announced during an address at the dedication of the community house in this city that "in order to improve the plight of the workers" the working week would be increased from 44 to 48 hours.

—Transocean News Service.

AUDIENCE WITH KING

London, Oct. 18. The King received in audience this morning the new Spanish Ambassador, Senor Azcarate, who presented his letters of credence to the Court of St. James.

—British Wireless.

NO AGREEMENT WITH GERMANY

Dr. Schuschnigg denied that he had promised Germany not to permit restoration of the Hapsburgs and concluded that neither the Government nor the Supreme Council of the Fatherland Front was competent to deal with the question which can only be settled by a plebiscite.

The pronouncement was more surprising in view of the Austro-German agreement of July, coupled with Germany's well-known dislike of the Hapsburgs.

The speech therefore is regarded as an expression of Austria's disappointment for the agreement, which failed to fulfil Austria's hopes, both politically and economically.

—Reuter.

ECONOMIC QUESTION

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Vienna, Oct. 18.

An important statement regarding Austrian foreign and internal policies was made on Saturday evening by Chancellor Schuschnigg to political functionaries assembled here from all parts of Austria for the Second Congress of the Catholic Front.

Touching first on the economic question, he emphasised the fact that Austria would not devalue the schilling because this would mean a rise in price of raw materials and an increase in the cost of living, which the Austrian people would not be able to cope with under the present conditions.

NATIONAL EMBLEM

Great interest and a considerable amount of surprise attended the Chancellor's statement that in future the cross emblem of the Patriotic Front will be recognised in Austria as the second national flag and will deserve and expect to receive the same veneration as the Red and White national emblem. The Dollfuss hymn will also become the national hymn and will be played in addition to the old hymn on all patriotic occasions.

NEW COMMANDER OF MILITIA

(Hong Kong Daily Press Special)

Vienna, Oct. 18.

The resignation of Vice-Chancellor Baar-Baarenfels, from the post of Commander-in-Chief of the militia of the Patriotic Front, was announced by Chancellor Schuschnigg on Saturday night.

Lt.-Field Marshal Huelgerth, who is at present the regional captain of Carinthia, was appointed as the new commander.

—Transocean News Service.

MAGINOT LINE SECRETS

Espionage Conviction In France

Metz, Oct. 17. The thirty-year-old Luxemburg engineer Frederic Martin has been sentenced to ten years' penal servitude by the French military court on a charge of espionage of fortifications of the famous Maginot Line. It is alleged that he sought information for the German General Staff.

—Reuter.

AGREEMENT WITH GERMANY

Turning to the agreement with Germany signed on July 11, Dr. Schuschnigg declared that this need not be regarded as a threat to Austria's home politics since no doubts existed about her independence or totality of patriotic front. The real significance in the agreement lay in the field of foreign relations and it was hoped it will mark the close of one of the most sorrowful chapters in German-Austrian history.

"We wish to keep Austria a sovereign state," declared Chancellor Schuschnigg. "We share the opinion with Germany that the agreement entered into on July 11 will further the cause of peace in Europe."

MONARCHY QUESTION

Discussing the question of Monarchist propaganda, the Chancellor said that the political activity of this party will be permitted with the understanding that it is carried on in the Patriotic Front which was large enough in its scope to include those who perceive the ideal state in the form of a monarchy as well as those who oppose this belief. The state and not the form of state government was uppermost, he declared, and questions pertaining to the form of government must be decided by the Austrian people alone since no foreign power and not even the Austrian Government itself, had the power to interfere.

Dr. Schuschnigg admitted that the time was not yet ripe for a plebiscite on this question but in any case, the period of encroachment of the Austrian sovereignty was definitely past and the next object of the Government was the carrying out of Dollfuss's constitution.

The Chancellor closed the address with a stirring declaration "I am no dictator and never wish to be one, but I am an Austrian and my endeavours are directed towards supporting the constitution and its further development in order to consolidate Austria."

—Transocean News Service.

CHEMIST'S WORK INCREASED

London, Oct. 17.

The report of the Government Chemist for the year ended March last reveals the ways in which developments in agricultural marketing policy have multiplied the work of the department. Grading and marketing regulations for Sultan, Caerphilly, Cheshire and Cheddar cheese have resulted in examination of some 223 samples by the laboratory.

Even the advent of "National Mark" water cress has brought extra work because water from beds has had to be examined chemically and bacteriologically.

The total number of samples examined last year amount to 548,279—an increase of 23,491.

—British Wireless.

MEXICO OILFIELDS STRIKE

Astoria, Mexico, Oct. 18.

A strike for increase of wages has broken out among the workers of the British Agula Oil Company, paralyzing the operations of the oilfields throughout the northern section of the State of Vera Cruz.

The refinery at Tampico is reported to be entirely closed.

—Reuter.

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

Manchester City Defeat Derby At Home

RANGERS AND CELTIC IN DRAWN GAME

London, Oct. 17.

Middlesbrough and Sunderland shared ten goals in the First Division League fixture played yesterday while Manchester City defeated Derby.

Full results and league tables are as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION			
Birmingham	4	Huddersfield	2
Charlton	0	Arsenal	2
Chelsea	1	Wednesday	1
Grimsby	2	Brentford	0
Leeds	3	Everton	0
Liverpool	0	Boiton	0
Middlesbrough	5	Sunderland	5
Portsmouth	2	Manchester U.	1
Stoke	0	Preston	2
W. Bromwich	2	Wolves	1

LEAGUE TABLE						
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A. Pts
Portsmouth	11	6	3	2	11	15
Derby	11	6	1	4	31	22 13
Brentford	11	5	3	3	21	19 13
Everton	10	6	—	4	20	18 12
Preston	10	5	2	3	12	11 12
Huddersfield	11	4	4	3	18	15 12
Grimsby	11	6	—	5	24	22 12
Middlesbrough	10	4	3	3	19	22 11
Chelsea	11	4	3	4	14	15 11
Charlton	11	3	5	3	15	16 11
Manchester C.	11	3	5	3	21	16 11
Birmingham	11	4	3	4	21	11 11
Stoke	11	4	3	4	20	17 11
Sunderland	10	4	2	4	21	21 10
Arsenal	10	3	4	3	13	13 10
Liverpool	11	3	4	4	17	18 10
West Brom.	10	4	2	4	20	24 10
Wednesday	11	2	5	4	19	20 9
Bolton	10	2	4	4	11	15 8
Manchester U.	10	3	2	5	17	22 8
Wolves	10	3	1	6	15	16 7
Leeds	11	3	1	7	13	22 7

SECOND DIVISION			
Barnsley	1	Bradford C.	1
Blackburn	0	Fulham	2
Blackpool	2	Burnley	2
Bradford	3	A. Villa	3
Bury	4	Doncaster	2
Lecester	4	Coventry	2
Newcastle U.	1	Sheffield F.	2
Norwich	4	Notts F.	0
Sheffield U.	1	Swansea	0
Tottenham	4	Southampton	0
West Ham	1	Plymouth	1

LEAGUE TABLE						
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.Pts
Bury	11	6	4	1	20	11 15
Blackpool	11	6	3	2	17	10 15
Fulham	11	6	2	3	18	12 14
Barnsley	11	5	3	3	15	13 13
Aston Villa	11	4	5	2	20	14 13
Plymouth	11	4	5	2	24	15 13
Coventry	11	4	4	3	13	11 12
Sheffield U.	11	5	2	4	14	14 12
Newcastle	11	6	5	1	17	13 12
Notts F.	11	3	5	3	15	20 11
Tottenham	11	5	1	5	21	14 11
Norwich	11	3	4	4	18	10 10
Burnley	11	4	2	5	14	15 10
Southampton	11	4	2	5	13	21 10
Swansea	10	4	2	4	15	11 10
Blackburn	10	3	3	4	10	13 9
Chesterfield	10	4	1	5	19	15 9
West Ham	11	3	3	5	17	19 9
Leicester	11	3	2	6	15	20 8
Bradford C.	11	2	4	5	15	21 8
Doncaster	10	2	3	5	7	15 7
Bradford	11	2	2	7	11	27 6

THIRD DIVISION (South)			
Bristol C.	2	Millwall	0
Clapton	2	Bournemouth	1
Crystal P.	6	Newport	1
Exeter	1	Gillingham	1
Luton	4	Watford	1
Notts C.	3	Northampton	2
Queen's P.R.	1	Swindon	1
Reading	2	Aldershot	0
Torquay	1	Bristol R.	0
Walsall	1	Brighton	4

LEAGUE TABLE						
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A. Pts
Luton	11	8	1	2	28	12 17
Cardiff	11	7	2	2	19	11 16
Bournemouth	11	7	1	3	17	10 15
Watford	11	5	3	3	25	16 13
Reading	11	6	1	4	19	17 13
Millwall	11	5	3	3	20	13 13
Swindon	11	5	3	3	26	15 13
Southend	11	4	4	3	20	14 12
Queen's P.R.	11	5	2	4	16	14 12
Bristol R.	11	5	1	5	14	17 11
Notts C.	11	4	3	4	17	17 11
Brighton	11	5	1	5	16	12 11
Clapton O.	11	4	3	4	14	14 11
Crystal Pal.	11	4	3	4	21	17 11
Northampton	11	4	2	5	16	18 10
Gillingham	11	4	2	5	18	18 10
Walsall	11	4	2	5	15	19 10
Exeter	11	3	2	6	14	20 8
Torquay	11	3	2	6	15	19 8
Trisfol C.	11	2	3	6	12	22 7
Aldershot	11	2	3	6	14	24 7
Newport	11	2	3	6	8	28 3

THIRD DIVISION (North)			
Barnsley	0	Stockport	0
Carlisle	5	Port Vale	2

CRICKET OVER WEEK-END

Interporters Defeated

PEREIRA'S FINE BOWLING

The last bowling of Frank Pereira, who captured three wickets for seven runs in eight overs four of which were maidens; the splendid partnership between Harry Owen Hughes and G. R. Sayer which realised 78 runs, were features of the cricket match played on the Club ground on Saturday between the 1936 Interport team and an eleven comprising ex-Interporters.

A. K. Mackenzie, the popular H.K.C.C. Hon. Secretary, and D. McLellan, the Interport twelfth man in 1932, took the places of A. R. Minu and A. H. Madar in the Interport team.

Prior to the match aiffin to which ex-Interporters were invited was held in the Cricket Club pavilion and was well attended.

The Interport cricket team showed obvious signs of staleness. Scores: Interporters: 89 (Capt. D. W. Perse 28, Hon. G. R. Clegg-Hill 15 not out, F. D. Pereira 3 for 7, A. C. I. Bowker 2 for 14, Goodwin 2 for 20, Owen Hughes 2 for 15).

Ex-Interporters: 163 for five wickets (Owen Hughes 51, Sayer 45, R.L.D. Wodehouse 35, E. C. Fincher 15).

DAVIS SCORES 56

H.M.S. Midway and Submarines narrowly averted defeat yesterday at King's Park when they met a strong Royal Navy "B" team.

Navy "B": 197 (Eng. Com. Davis, 56; Lt. Colville, 40; Forster, 42; Lt. Harper, 2 for 23; Lt. Donald, 1 for 29 and E. R. A. Etheridge, 3 for 39).

H.M.S. Midway and Submarines: 106 for 9 (Lt. Prowse, 41 not out, L. S. A. Finn, 14, Marsh, 6 for 35).

INTRA-CLUB GAME

An intra-club game at the Indian Recreation Club between the Ramjahn ended in a win for the latter side by six wickets.

HIGH SCORING

In a high scoring match on the Kowloon Cricket Club ground the Hong Kong Cricket Club, second eleven beat the home club's junior team by six wickets.

K.C.C. 2nd XI: 183 for 4 dec. (N. A. E. Mackay 62, W. L. McKenzie 52, W. Mulcahy 40 not out).

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI: 221 for 4 (H. B. Neve 77 not out, N. P. Fox 48, J. S. Forbes 41).

ARMY "B" WIN

The Army "B" unexpectedly beat Army "A" by four wickets in the first League match of the season when they met in the junior division at Sookunpoo on Saturday.

Army "A": 110 (Bdr. Baker 34, Gnr. Chaplin 24, Q.M.S. Moreton 3 for 13).

Army "B": 147 for 7 (Q.M.S. Moreton 40, Capt. Mitchell 39 not out, Cpl. Wateridge 20, Bdr. Bancroft 3 for 19).

BAKER BOWLS WELL

The second division friendly match between the University and Police Recreation Club at Pokfulam was featured by some splendid bowling by B. G. Baker and C. Pope for the Police, who won by 103 runs.

Police R.C.: 149 (T. R. Hunter 53; A. K. Phang 4 for 18).

University: 46 (W. C. Chiu 11; B. G. Baker 6 for 20, C. Pope 4 for 15).

LOCAL RUGBY

Club Commence Season Well

The Hong Kong Football Club rugby section began their season at the Valley on Saturday with a double victory, their first fifteen beating the Royal Navy by 15 points to 8 points, while the "A" fifteen defeated an Army "A" side by 7 points to nil.

There were no changes in the senior game teams and the Club were slightly the better side. Van Leeuwen, the Club's right-wing three quarter, played well and proved himself a very difficult man to stop.

Of the full-backs on display, Colman, of the Navy, was the better. Colman's kicking and fielding was impressive.

Benson, of the Navy, was superb with his kicking. He made full use of a powerful hand-off, which proved most effective against Edwell and Peers.

Among those present were Herr and Frau Ilse Mai and Herr and Frau Ilse May. A pleasant time was spent by all. (Contributed.)

LOCAL LEAGUE FOOTBALL

South China "A" And Ulster Rifles Draw 3-3

CHINESE LEAD AT INTERVAL

Thousands of Chinese and foreigners packed the Sookunpoo enclosure yesterday afternoon to witness the all important First Division League football match played between South China "A" and the Royal Ulster Rifles. The Chinese team, who made their debut in the local league since their return from the Berlin Olympic Games last month, led by three goals to one at the interval. The second half produced some thrilling football and the final result was a draw of three goals all.

EXCITING MATCH

South China "A" And Rifles Draw

An exciting football match was witnessed at Sookunpoo yesterday when the Royal Ulster Rifles met South China "A".

Leading 3-1 in the first half the Chinese could not maintain the lead and Ferguson scored two goals to level the score before the game ended.

The first goal for the Chinese was scored by Tso Kwai Shing. All through the game Tso played well on the right wing.

South China increased their lead when Leung Wing Chiu scored the ball from about five yards behind the centre line for it to drop just under the crossbar. The next goal was netted by Yeung King Ching who scored with a lovely ground shot that beat the Rifles' goalkeeper.

Ferguson scored for the Rifles just before half time. During the first half the Chinese dominated the play.

The second half produced better exchanges. Mid-way through the stanza Horigan headed the ball into the net from a pass by Picking; and the equaliser came from Ferguson who found the net during a scramble in front of the Chinese citadel.

Ulster Rifles: Connal; Picking, Stevens, McConag, Moore, Miller, Arwin, Campbell, Ferguson, Doherly and Horigan.

South China "A": Pau Ka Ping; Lee Tin Sang, Tam Kong Pak; Leung Wing Chiu, Wang Mee Shun, Lee Kwok Wai, Tso Kwai Shing, Lai Shiu Wing, Fung King Cheung, Ip Pak Wah and Tay Quai Liang.

LAST MINUTE GOAL

A last minute rally brought victory to the Royal Welch Fusiliers, when they met the Kowloon Football Club at Sookunpoo on Saturday, in the First Division League.

The soldiers were far better than Kowloon and for most of the game it was a duel between the Fusilier forwards and the Kowloon defence.

Twice Minhinnet pulled the Kowloon side out of the fire when the score was even, by saving lightning drives from Parry.

The score was opened by V. White for Kowloon during the first half.

Soon after the Fusiliers brought the score level, and almost with the last ball of the match Taylor accepted a pass from Parry and sent the ball into the net. Fusiliers 2, Kowloon F.C. 1.

Fusiliers: Rowlands; Wheeler, Keating, Wandlyn, Grealy, Taylor; Parry, Dennis, Evans, Talbot, Hughes.

Kowloon: Minhinnet; Everest, Bowen; Roberts, Sinclair, Connor; Eastman, Evans, D. Knox, V. White, Honnibal.

EASTERN SECURE FIRST WIN

Securing their first win, the Eastern beat the St. Joseph's by the odd goal in five at Causeway Bay on Saturday.

Play was interesting and more of a cup-like nature than a normal league encounter. Towards the end frayed tempers tended to mar the game. The outstanding players were Costa and the Eastern forwards.

For the Eastern side George Yeung, centre half was prominent, his skill in paving the way for both Cheung Shui-hong and Song Hing-ling was responsible in no small way for the Eastern's success.

In the second half Song Hing-ling opened the score. Costa equalised through a penalty. A second goal netted by Cheung Shui-hong, was again equalised by a penalty kick by Costa.

Five minutes from the end, Song Hing-ling scored the winning goal.

LOCAL YACHTING

Cruisers Sweepstake Race Results

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club cruisers' sweepstake race was sailed yesterday and resulted as follows:—
Course:—Cheung Chau (P). Distance: 25 miles.

Started at 10 a.m.

	No.	Finished	Corrected	Elapsed	Pos.
Azuma (Mr. K. Robertson)...	1	17.09.05	17.01.56	7.09.05	11
U. and I. (Mr. H. S. Rouse)...	8	16.28.33	16.18.51	8.28.33	5
Luana (Mrs. Shelton).....	9	17.32.10	17.05.48	7.32.10	12
Typhoon (Mr. MacCabe).....	10	17.33.23	16.48.01	7.33.23	7
Wanderer (Mr. H. C. Tilley)...	16	17.33.20	17.25.47	7.33.20	13
Quest (Mr. Webb).....	17	17.40.38	16.16.12	7.40.38	4
Monsoon (Mr. H. W. Dulle)...	18	16.55.19	16.10.20	6.55.19	3
Nordwester					
(Mr. W. Spoelder).....	19	16.44.14	16.03.29	6.44.14	2
Sea Lark V. (Mr. E. Cock)....	20	17.23.40	16.57.48	7.23.40	9
Mistral (Mr. J. H. Potts)....	22	—	—	—	—
Cutty (Mr. D. M. McCathie)...	23	17.12.44	16.29.38	7.12.44	6
Penguin (Capt. D. M. Eley)...	24	16.42.33	16.02.18	6.42.33	1
Cormorant (Mr. R. Grive)....	25	17.39.52	17.00.22	7.39.52	10
Sal Long (Capt. J. Hooper)...	27	17.39.15	16.53.20	7.39.15	8

TRAINING GALLOPS

The following times were recorded at the Valley training gallops on Saturday:—

	Dis- tance	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	Last
Bag Tor	33.2	1.05.2	1.33.3				28.1
Vixen Tor	1	43	1.19.4	1.50	2.16		28
Oak Bay	35	1.08.2	1.37.4				29.2
The Hero and							
17th of Sept.	35	1.08.1	1.39.3				31.2
Amberley	1	33.3	1.05	1.37.2	2.07.4		30.2
King's Justice	14	39	1.12	1.47	2.19.3	2.51	31.2
Mayflower	1	36.3	1.12.1	1.47.4	2.20.3		32.4
Centre Court	34	35	1.10	1.44	2.15.3	2.43	27.2
Balios	1	40.2	1.24.2	2.02.3	2.36		33.2

HAMMOND AND WYATT BAT WELL

Big Total Recorded By M.C.C.

AGAINST WESTERN AUSTRALIA

Two Centuries Scored

Perth, Oct. 17.
The touring M.C.C. team commenced their heavy fixture list in a manner which is a happy augury for the forthcoming Tests, scoring a total of 489 runs for the loss of four wickets at the close of the second day's play, in their match with Western Australia.

R. E. S. Wyatt and Walter Hammond, both distinguished themselves, Wyatt scoring 106 and Hammond 141. Hardstaff had 87 not out at the close of play.

After dismissing the home team for 142 runs, the M.C.C. tourists had scored 91 for one wicket when stumps were drawn on Friday.

Play was resumed this morning before a crowd of 5,000 spectators, the weather being cool and cloudy and the wicket easy. Wyatt and Hammond continued their innings and after nine minutes play the 100 was signalled. An idea of how rapidly the runs came may be gained from the following:

200 runs in 185 minutes; 300 in 257 minutes, and 400 in 348 minutes.

Wyatt played a very dour innings, but he was the more confident of the two. His 106 took him 282 minutes, in the course of which he hit only five boundaries; Hammond treated the spectators to a sparkling display of cricket, bringing off a variety of strokes, which won him rounds of applause. He hit two sixes and 14 boundaries and was at the wicket for three hours for his 141 runs. His innings, however, was not flawless—he had a "life" at 81 and another at 129. Together with Wyatt, he put on 221 runs for the second wicket. The score at the tea interval was 328 for 3.

FISHLOCK UNSETTLED

Fishlock, the young Surrey left-handed batsman, of whom so much is expected, appeared to be unsettled during his innings for 30 runs. Hardstaff, on the other hand, played delightfully free cricket to score 87 not out. His driving and wrist work were features of his innings. His reached his 50 after 96 minutes. Worthington, the Derby all-rounder, is the other not out, his 39 runs not out being described as a workmanlike effort.

Scores, as cabled by Reuter, were as follows:
W. Australia: 142 (Wilberforce 33 not out, Newman 28, G. O. Allen 3 for 32, K. Karmes 3 for 35).

M.C.C.: 469 for 4 (Barnett 54, R. E. S. Wyatt 106, Hammond 141, Fishlock 30, Hardstaff 87 not out, Worthington 39 not out).

BUNNY AUSTIN DEFEATED

London, Oct. 18.
In the semi-final of the Queen's Club National Hardcourts lawn tennis championship, Karl Schroeder, of Sweden defeated H.W. Austin, the British Davis Cupper, 6-2, 6-1, 6-1, while Jean Borotra, the bounding Basque, defeated Max Ellmer, of Switzerland, in four sets. The scores, in favour of the French tennis star, were 2-6, 6-1, 3-6, 6-4.

FINALS RESULTS

London, Oct. 7.
The finals of the Queen's Club National hard court tennis championships were played to-day and resulted as follows:
Men's Singles: Schroeder (Sweden) beat Jean Borotra (France) 6-6, 6-1, 9-7.

Women's Singles: Senorita Lizana (Chile) beat Miss Mary Hardwick (Great Britain) 6-3, 6-0.

Men's Doubles: C. E. Hare and F. H. D. Wilde (Great Britain) beat H. G. N. Lee (Great Britain) and Schroeder (Sweden) 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.

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FAREWELL CONCERT

In honour of those members of His Majesty's Forces who are leaving for Home next Tuesday, a farewell concert was given at the St. Francis Hotel on Saturday organised by Mr. R. Dixon and his colleagues.

INTERNATIONAL FOOTBALL

England Defeated By Wales

GERMANY LOSE TO IRELAND

Cardiff, Oct. 17.
A crowd of 45,000 saw Wales beat England by 2 goals to 1 in their Association football match here to-day.

The weather was threatening when Wales won the toss, but the English forwards soon showed that they could combine better, drawing their opponents in masterly style. Play, however, was very even.

The Welsh players lacked their opponents' fitness, but they showed plenty of pace and resolution. Barker rarely wandered away from Glover, which is a reversal of his usual policy, and seemed intent on stifling up the new England defenders—Griffiths stayed well behind with the backs and Steele began to wander when he realised that he had been mastered.

Play was below expectations and the interval arrived with England leading by a goal scored by Bastin.

THE EQUALISER

Both teams resumed in very lively fashion. Morris being outstanding in a series of fierce Welsh attacks, while Holcroft emerged with flying colours after a 10-minute bombardment.

Persistence eventually rewarded Morris, whose curling corner kick found its way into the net for the equaliser in the 19th minute.

Wales redoubled their efforts and Sproston, Catlin and Barker had a hectic period running about, and were glad to kick at random. Glover headed in from Hopkins' centre to give Wales their last goal. England's belated attack lacked fire and the side was well beaten.

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The teams were:
England: H. Holder (Preston); B. Sproston (Leeds) and A. E. Catlin (Wednesday); T. Smalley (Wolves); J. Barker (Derby); and E. Keen (Derby); S. Crooks (Derby); W. Scott (Brentford); F. C. Steele (Stoke); R. W. Westwood (Bolton) W. and C. S. Bastin (Arsenal).

Wales: Gray (Chester); Turner (Charlton); Robert John (Arsenal); Warner (Swansea); Griffiths (Aston Villa); Richards (Brentford); Hopkins (Brentford); Bryn Jones (Wolves); Glover (Grimsby); Leslie Jones (Coventry) and Morris (Birmingham).

IRELAND DEFEAT GERMANY

Dublin, Oct. 17.
A crowd of 30,000 saw Ireland beat Germany by 5 goals to 2 in their Association football encounter here to-day.

The weather was fine and the Bank played the German and Irish National Anthems, while the German spectators gave the Nazi salute.

The teams were:
Irish Free State: Foley; O'Neill and Gorman; O'Reilly, Turner and Connolly; E. H. Donnelly, Davis Moore and Goeghegan.
Germany: Jakob; Muezenberg and Munkert; Rodzinski, Foidbrunner and Kitzinger; Leber, Siffing, Hohmann, Szeban and Koblerski.

Germany won the toss and play was extremely fast during the opening exchanges. The Germans were slightly superior in the attack. Szeban playing a roving game and proving to be a great schemer. The Irish defence were given several anxious moments before Donnelly scored in the 26th minute following a breakaway. Germany then retaliated and Koblerski equalised a minute later.

SCORE LEVEL

Almost immediately afterwards Szeban gave the visitors the lead, in the 30th minute, but Davis equalised a minute later, from a penalty, and the interval arrived with the teams sharing four goals. Ireland opened strongly after the interval and their forceful tactics completely non-puzzled the Germans, whose full-backs had a tough job keeping out the invaders.

The game had now developed into a battle between the dashing Irish forwards and the German backs, who strove manfully to stem the tide.

Jokob brought off a couple of magnificent saves before Goeghegan scored from close range in the 14th minute. Donnelly increased the lead following a strong attack and Davis netted the fifth.

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HOME RUGBY

Gloucester Swamp Guy's Hospital

London, Oct. 17.
The following were the results of Rugby Union league matches played to-day:

Nottingham and Derby 11, Warwickshire 6.
Birkenhead Park 23, Bradford 8.
Blackheath 0, London Scottish 3.
Devonport Services 5, U. S. Portsmouth 6.

Gloucester 40, Guy's Hospital 11.
Harlequins 11, Cambridge University 16.
Liverpool 11, Manchester 3.

Llanelli 24, Bristol 0.
London Welsh 25, London Irish 3.
Newport 18, Leicester 18.
Northampton 4, Pontypool 10.
Oxford University 12, Old Merchant Taylors 0.

Richmond 18, Rosslyn Park 5.
Aberdon 3, Neath 3.

Bath 18, Aldershot Services 3.
Cardiff 12, Swansea 6.
Coventry 0, Nuneaton 0.

Edinburgh Wanderers 7, Watsonians 19.
Edinburgh Institute 6, Glasgow Academicals 24.

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LARGE GOLF ENTRY

Four Qualifiers For Dewar Trophy

Thirty-three competitors took part in the Dewar Trophy yesterday morning at the Kowloon Golf Club, Kowloon City. Play was over eighteen holes and was in the nature of a qualifying round. The four lowest net returns qualified to meet at later dates on a knock-out basis, in the semi-finals and final.

The following qualified:—J. D. Thomson, H. F. Westlake, S. Jex and H. C. Borne.

LADIES' HOCKEY

Leading by the only goal scored in the first half, the Hong Kong Ladies beat the C.B.A. Ladies, Caer Clark Cup holders, by four goals to one, on the Naval ground, Happy Valley, on Saturday in a friendly hockey match.

The C.B.A. played only four forwards. Mrs. Burton, a newcomer, gave an impressive display at centre-half, and scored the only goal for the losers.

In the forward line Miss J. Dalziel and Miss M. Smalley showed good understanding and scored the goals between them, the former securing a "hat-trick" for the winners.

D. J. N. ANDERSON

Donald J. N. Anderson, the brilliant local cricketer who played for Hong Kong in the Interport match against Shanghai in 1933 at the age of 19, is returning to the Colony on November 5 and will in all probability be playing this season for the Kowloon Cricket Club. Anderson, who was educated at the Diocesan Boys' School, graduated B.A. at the Hong Kong University and a few years ago proceeded to England where he pursued his studies and is now a fully qualified barrister-at-law.

BAKEWELL'S WONDERFUL RECOVERY

Accident Not Likely To Hamper Cricket Career

Bakewell, the Northamptonshire and England cricketer, continues to make splendid progress, from the severe injuries he received last month in the motor accident near Kibworth, in which R. P. Northway, his team mate, was killed.

Mr. L. Bullmer, the Northamptonshire scorer, has been allowed to visit Bakewell, and he says that considering what Bakewell went through he is wonderfully well. Excepting the broken arm which is still in plaster, all the bandages have been removed.

Bakewell will have to spend three more weeks in the Leicester Royal Infirmary, and there is every indication that the accident will not hamper his cricket career.

So far 2,000 shillings have been subscribed towards the appeal for 10,000 shillings to put Northamptonshire County Cricket Club on its feet again.

HOCKEY SENSATION

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The first occasion Mr. Dove had to speak to P. Xavier occurred when the latter was warned against bumping and boring an opponent. His brother (A.S.) remonstrated with the referee and was warned against this practice.

Some ten minutes later P. Xavier was again warned for a similar offence. According to eye-witnesses on the sideline, he turned on Mr. Dove and said a few hasty words. Mr. Dove had no alternative but to turn the player off.

The captain of the offending side came up and spoke to the umpire, and was then seen to leave the field.

GREAT STRUGGLE

In spite of this handicap, the Argonauts put up a great struggle in the closing minutes of the game, and were a constant source of worry for the C.B.A. defence. They had extremely bad luck on two occasions when they shot wide, when favourably placed.

A. M. "Smoky" Xavier (who is not related to the other two) playing at centre half on another occasion took the ball past the two Association backs and missed narrowly.

The score at half-time was one nil in favour of the C.B.A., past champions of the "B" Division of the tournament. S. Fowler, centre forward, netting from an acute angle. Midway through the second period, B. Bickford put the C.B.A. further ahead following a neat movement between the forwards.

Later S. Fowler taking the ball from the halfway line broke through the Argonauts' defence on his own, and drawing the goalie out of the net, shot over the bar!

The game was contested at a fast pace, with the C.B.A. having better of exchanges in the first half. After the change over and when the C.B.A. led by two clear goals, a change took place, with the Argonauts forcing the pace. The final whistle blew with the C.B.A. defending their citadel.

H. Wallace was the other umpire in charge of the game.

SUCCESSFUL CLOSING DAY

Kowloon C.C. Hold Function

VISITORS WIN BOWLS MATCH

Six lawn bowls matches were played at the Kowloon Cricket Club on Saturday afternoon, when the Club held their Closing Day, which was followed by a cocktail party later.

The matches were played between K.C.C. rinks and visiting rinks, the visitors winning by 44 shots.

The following were the scores:—K.C.C.—F. W. Shaftain, A. Nisim, T. W. Carr, L. Jack—(Skip) 16. P. E. Knight, J. Fletcher, P. Phillips, W. Hirst—(Skip) 11. H. Gittins, A. G. Hills, S. Houghton, H. Overy—(Skip) 23. A. Hyde Lay, H. Nish, A. Canning, A. W. Ramsay—(Skip) 19. F. E. Nash, J. Dinnen, A. Spary, A. E. Silkstone—(Skip) 21. J. MacDonald, C. J. Tacchi, J. M. Jack, V. C. Labrum—(Skip) 9.

Total: 99.

Visitors:—R. Luz, V. Ramsay, J. McJown, F. Lunny—(Skip) 20. D. Rumjahn, G. Stewart, J. Henson, A. W. Grimmit—(Skip) 27. A. Baker, A. Graver, E. Webster, R. Duncan—(Skip) 22. J. C. Chalmers, B. Maughan, A. Stevenson, S. Randall—(Skip) 19. A. Hamilton, G. Morley, A. Read, C. B. Hosking—(Skip) 28. F. Barros, T. Polson, W. Ward, J. Russell—(Skip) 23.

Total: 143.

GOLF TITLE

Worplesdon, Oct. 16.
For the eighth time, Miss Joyce Wethered to-day won the open mixed foursomes golf championship. Partnered by the Hon. T.W. Cooke, they beat C.J. Anderson and Doris Wilkins, three and two.

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Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, October 20.
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Somerville, Bank Line, October 28.
General Lee, States Co., October 31.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, October 31.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, Nov. 17.
Gen. Pershing, States Co., Nov. 21.

Seattle.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, October 23.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, Nov. 6.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Nov. 7.

South America (W.C.).
Buenos Aires Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 21.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 30.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Nov. 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 13.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 25.

Victoria, B.C.
Pres. Jefferson, A.M. Line, October 23.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 30.
Pres. Jackson, A.M. Line, Nov. 6.
Tyndarus, B. & S., Nov. 7.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 13.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 25.

SOUTHWARD
FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.

Batavia.
Corpsville, Bank Line, October 19.
Tjisdane, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 20.

Belawan-Deli.
Corpsville, Bank Line, October 19.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 20.
Potdam, Melchers's, October 23.
Cremar, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 29.
Gneissau, Melchers's, Nov. 20.

Brisbane.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.

Calcutta.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.

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Tjibadak, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 27.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Gertrude Maersk, Jensen's, Nov. 3.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., November 6.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Nov. 7.
Shantung, Gilman's, Nov. 7.
Benrines, Loxley's, November 9.
Duisburg, Jensen's, November 10.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, Nov. 10.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.
Gen. Pershing, States Co., Nov. 14.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Nov. 19.
Gneissau, Melchers's, Nov. 20.
Silversandal, Furness's, Nov. 22.
Melbourne.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.
Kiangchow, B. & S., Oct. 23.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Oct. 30.
Paul Doumer, Messageries, Oct. 19.
Rahaul.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Bremerhaven, Melchers's, November 12.

Saigon.
Sphinx, Messageries, October 20.
Aramis, Messageries, Nov. 3.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Nov. 17.
Santalum.
Hinsang, Jardine's, October 23.
Mansang, Jardine's, Nov. 6.

Semarang.
Corpsville, Bank Line, October 19.
Tjisdane, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 20.
Tjisdane, J.C.J. Line, Oct. 20.
South Sea Islands.
Bremerhaven, Melchers's, November 12.

Sydney.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Nellere, E. & A., October 31.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.
Thursday Island.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 29.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.
Townsville.
Taiping, B. & S., Nov. 13.

Tarali.
Bremerhaven, Melchers's, November 12.

WESTWARD
FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Sarpedon, B. & S., October 21.
Behar, P. & O., October 24.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., October 24.
Toursine, Thoresen's, October 25.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 7.
Soudan, P. & O., November 7.
Meerkert, J.C.J. Line, November 10.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 21.

Alexandria.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, October 24.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Nov. 7.
Shantung, Gilman's, Nov. 7.

Antwerp.
Behar, P. & O., October 24.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., October 24.
Toursine, Thoresen's, October 25.
Kashima Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 7.
Soudan, P. & O., November 7.
Meerkert, J.C.J. Line, November 10.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 21.

Bombay.
Mantani Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 20.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, October 24.
Mayabashi Maru, N.Y.K., October 28.
Corfu, P. & O., October 31.
Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 1.
Denmark Maru, N.Y.K., Nov. 7.
Mirzapore, P. & O., November 9.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 21.

Batavia.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, October 24.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, Nov. 7.
Shantung, Gilman's, Nov. 7.

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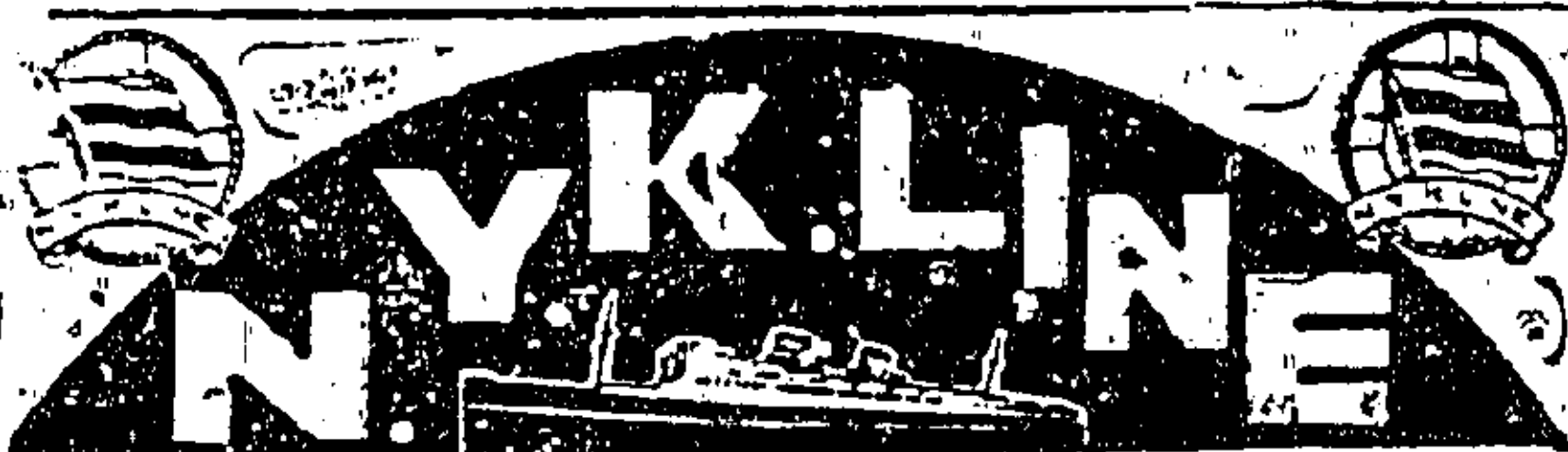
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KITANO MARU ... Thursday, 29th Oct.
KAMO MARU ... Saturday, 29th Nov.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

MAYEYASHI MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Oct.
DENMARK MARU ... Sunday, 1st Nov.
GINYO MARU ... Thursday, 12th Nov.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

TOKUSHIWA MARU ... Thursday, 29th Oct.
TSUSHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 7th Nov.
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Shipping News

Week-End Statement, Waterfront News.

ARRIVALS

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 18.
Hal Heng, Chinese steamer, 2,065 tons, Captain C. C. Ma, from Shanghai via Swatow, China Merchant S.N. Co.'s Wharf.—C. M. S. N. & Co.
Soochow, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from Canton, buoy No. B14.—H. & S.
Bengloe, British steamer, 3,425 tons, Captain Jones, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—W. R. Loxley & Co.
Norviken, Norwegian steamer, 1,779 tons, Captain T. Kvanne, from Tsingtao and Shanghai via Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.
Hal Tan, British steamer, 2,225 tons, Captain O. H. Farrar, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.
Hal Ching, British steamer, 1,322 tons, Captain W. E. Patey, from Canton, lying at Yaumatei.—Douglas & Co.
Hal Chen, Chinese steamer, 2,060 tons, Captain H. Y. Hu, from Canton, C. M. S. N. Wharf.—C. M. S. N. & Co.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 17.
Cornwall, Norwegian steamer, 2,747 tons, Captain O. Carlsen, from Portland via Shanghai, Kowloon Dock.—Bank Line.
Hin Sang, British steamer, 1,835 tons, Captain A. D. Kellman, from Sandakan, buoy No. B22.—J. M. & Co.
Shun Chih, British steamer, 1,173 tons, Captain W. Freer, from Hon Khe Bay, lying at Sham Shui Po.—Wo Fat Sing.
Shun Lee, Chinese steamer, 970 tons, Captain K. Sano, from Tientsin via Swatow, buoy No. B11.—Kwong Wo Shing.
Nanning, British steamer, 1,485 tons, Captain J. Whyte, from Tientsin via Swatow, buoy No. B1.—B. & S.
Kwangtung, British steamer, 1,572 tons, Captain N. Hardie, from Canton, buoy No. B14.—Butterfield and Swire.

Sinkiang, British steamer, 1,615 tons, Captain J. B. Bruce, from Tsingtao via Swatow, buoy No. B20.—Butterfield and Swire.

Java, Danish steamer, 5,525 tons, Capt. Skjoldum, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—East Asiatic & Co.
Aramis, French steamer, 9,990 tons, Captain D. Paul, from Marseilles via Saigon, Kowloon Wharf.—M. M. & Co.
Golden Star, American steamer, 1,017 tons, Captain H. B. Hansen, from Los Angeles via Moj. lying at Stonecutters.—States & Co.

Eng Lee, Chinese steamer, 885 tons, Captain T. Nirel, from Dairen via Chefoo, buoy No. B3.—Yee Tai Hong.

Lushan Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,507 tons, Captain C. Iuchi, from Canton, lying at Yaumatei.—N. Y. K.

Chak Sang, British steamer, 1,470 tons, Captain Walter, from Canton, buoy No. B2.—J. M. & Co.

Unita, Norwegian steamer, 2,345 tons, Captain A. Fjeldheim, from Milke, buoy No. A12.—M. B. K.

Wing Wo, Portuguese steamer, 495 tons, Captain I. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, Salkong Wharf.—Tai Fung & Co.

Kwanto Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,188 tons, Captain T. Suruga, from Kobe, Kowloon Wharf.—O. S. K.

NEWS FROM THE WATERFRONT

WEEK-END CARGO RETURNS

(BY LONGSHOREMAN).
During the 24 hours ended at 9.00 a.m. yesterday, a total of 13 ships brought over 8,615 tons of cargo to the Colony and carried 31,698 tons for through ports. These ships brought 494 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 17 ships left the Colony.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hong Kong Radio to-day:—
Kwanto Maru, Empress of Japan.
Ranchi, General Lee, Empress of Asia.
President Polk, Macra, Agatha, Sirdhana, Shantung, Changte, Brazil Maru, King Yuan, Nagisan Maru, Cornville, and Sumatra.

VESSELS DUE

Ajax, B. & S., November 22.
Antenor, B. & S., November 6.
Arabis Maru, O.S.K., Nov. 4.
Aramis, Messageries, Nov. 3.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 23.
Asaphian, B. & S., Oct. 31.
Astoria, Jensen's, Oct. 19.
Atrius, B. & S., November 6.
Behar, P. & O., October 23.
Benroch, Loxley, Oct. 23.
Bismarck, Loxley, November 9.
Bismarck, Melchers, November 4.
Burduwan, P. & O., October 23.
Buenos Aires Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 20.
Calabas, B. & S., November 13.
Canton, Gilman's, October 19.
Canton Maru, O.S.K., October 22.
Carthage, P. & O., October 29.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, Nov. 13.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Nov. 22.
Conte Verde, Lloyd Triestino, Oct. 24.
Corfu, P. & O., October 30.
Cremar, J.C.J. Line, October 20.
Deucalion, B. & S., November 4.
Duisburg, Jensen's, Nov. 19.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., October 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Nov. 6.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., November 19.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Oct. 30.
Foylbank, Bank Line, Oct. 23.
Fukoku Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 23.
General Lee, States Co., Nov. 13.
Gertrude, Messageries, Nov. 1.
Glansea, B. & S., November 12.
Gleniffer, B. & S., November 10.
Gleniffer, Jardine's, October 23.
Gneissstein, Melchers, November 3.
Hague Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 19.
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., October 20.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., October 23.
Havana Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 22.
Harre Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 31.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 21.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., October 23.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., October 23.
Leverkusen, Jensen's, November 9.
Libon Maru, N.Y.K., October 22.
Malaya, E.A. Co., Nov. 7.
Manila Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 28.
Mantel Maru, O.S.K., Oct. 19.
Mar. Joffe, Messageries, Nov. 14.
Maybashi Maru, N.Y.K., Oct. 27.
Mannion, B. & S., October 25.
Mentec, B. & S., Nov. 2.

Hong Sang, British steamer, 2,74 tons, Captain D. M. Cole, from Rangoon via Singapore, buoy No. A5.—Ho Thong & Co.
Tsinan, British steamer, 2,100 tons, Captain S. M. Barling, from Shanghai via Amoy, buoy No. B21.—Butterfield and Swire.

MOVEMENTS OF SHIPS

To-Day's Arrivals

(BY T. S. M.)

S.S. "PRESIDENT PIERCE"
The S.S. "President Pierce" of the Dollar Steamship Lines is due this morning, and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from Manila, and will leave for Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A. and Europe via San Francisco—due San Francisco, November 10, and Europe via Siberia to-morrow at mid-night.

Parcels will be received at the General Post Office up to 4.00 p.m. to-morrow. Registered articles will be received up to 5.00 p.m., while letters of destination will be received up to 5.30 p.m. to-morrow.

S.S. "PERSEUS"

The Butterfield and Swire steamship "Perseus" arrives this morning, and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from Straits and will leave for Shanghai, this evening. Letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office up to 5.00 p.m. to-day.

S.S. "SARPEDON"

The S.S. "Sarpedon" of Butterfield and Swire, is expected to arrive here to-morrow, and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from Shanghai, and will sail for the Straits, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, November 19, on Wednesday, October 21.

Parcels for London will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 5.00 p.m. to-morrow, while registered articles and letters of destination will be received up to 9.45 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. on Wednesday, October 21.

S.S. "SPHINX"

The Compagnie des Messageries Maritimes steamship "Sphinx" will arrive to-morrow, and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from Shanghai, and Europe via Siberia, and will leave for Saigon, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, November 18, to-morrow at noon.

Registered articles and letters of destination will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 9.45 a.m. and 10.30 a.m. to-morrow.

Registered articles and letters of destination for "Air Orient Service"—due Marseilles, November 1, will be received at the General Post Office and Kowloon Post Office up to 9.30 a.m. and 10.00 a.m. to-morrow.

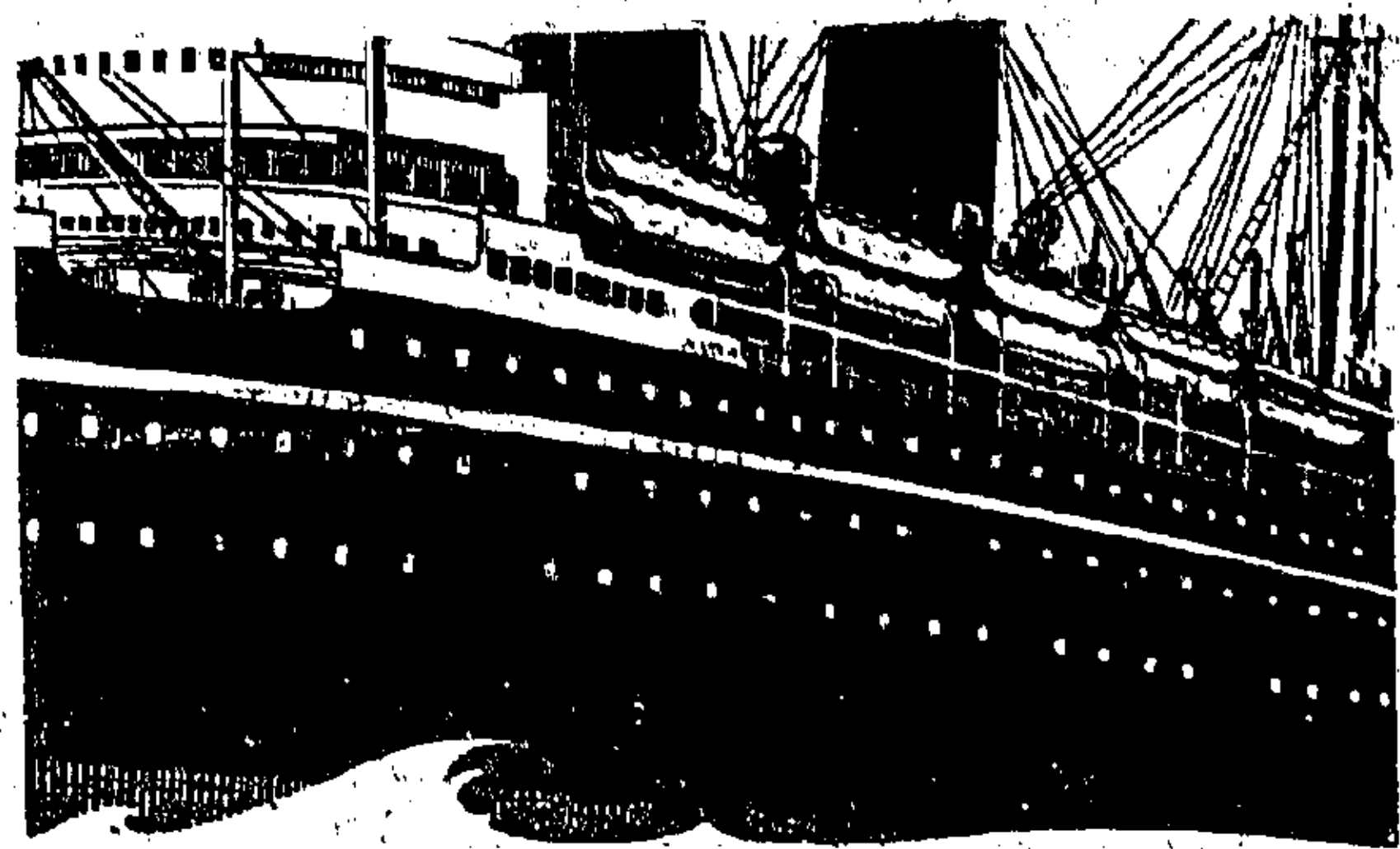
S.S. "HAKODATE MARU"

The S.S. "Hakodate Maru" of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha Line is expected to arrive here to-morrow, and will berth at the Kowloon Wharf.

She comes from the Straits.

R.M.S. "EMPEROR OF ASIA"

The R.M.S. "Empress of Asia" arrived at Nagasaki on the 17th October (Saturday) at 3.00 p.m. and left Nagasaki on the same day at midnight. She is due at Shanghai to-day (Monday) at 6.00 a.m. and leaves Shanghai for Hong Kong and Manila on the same day at 10.30 p.m.



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TANDA	7,000	5th Nov.	do
TILLAWA	10,000	12th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	17,000	19th Nov.	Shanghai & Japan
*SOMALI	6,000	25th Nov.	do
SANTHIA	8,000	28th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai & Japan
*COMORIN	17,000	27th Dec.	Shanghai & Japan
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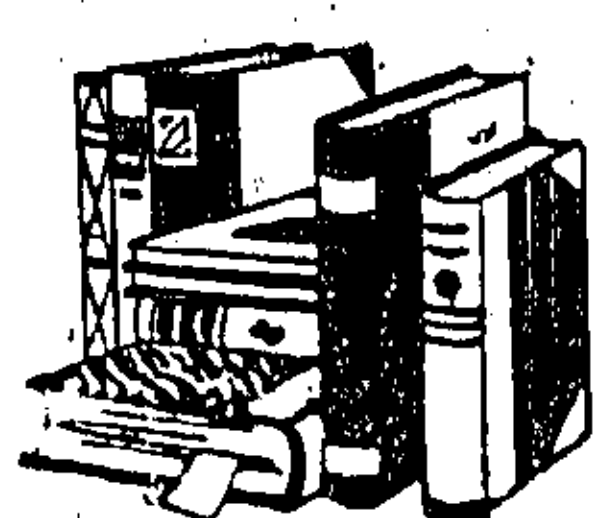
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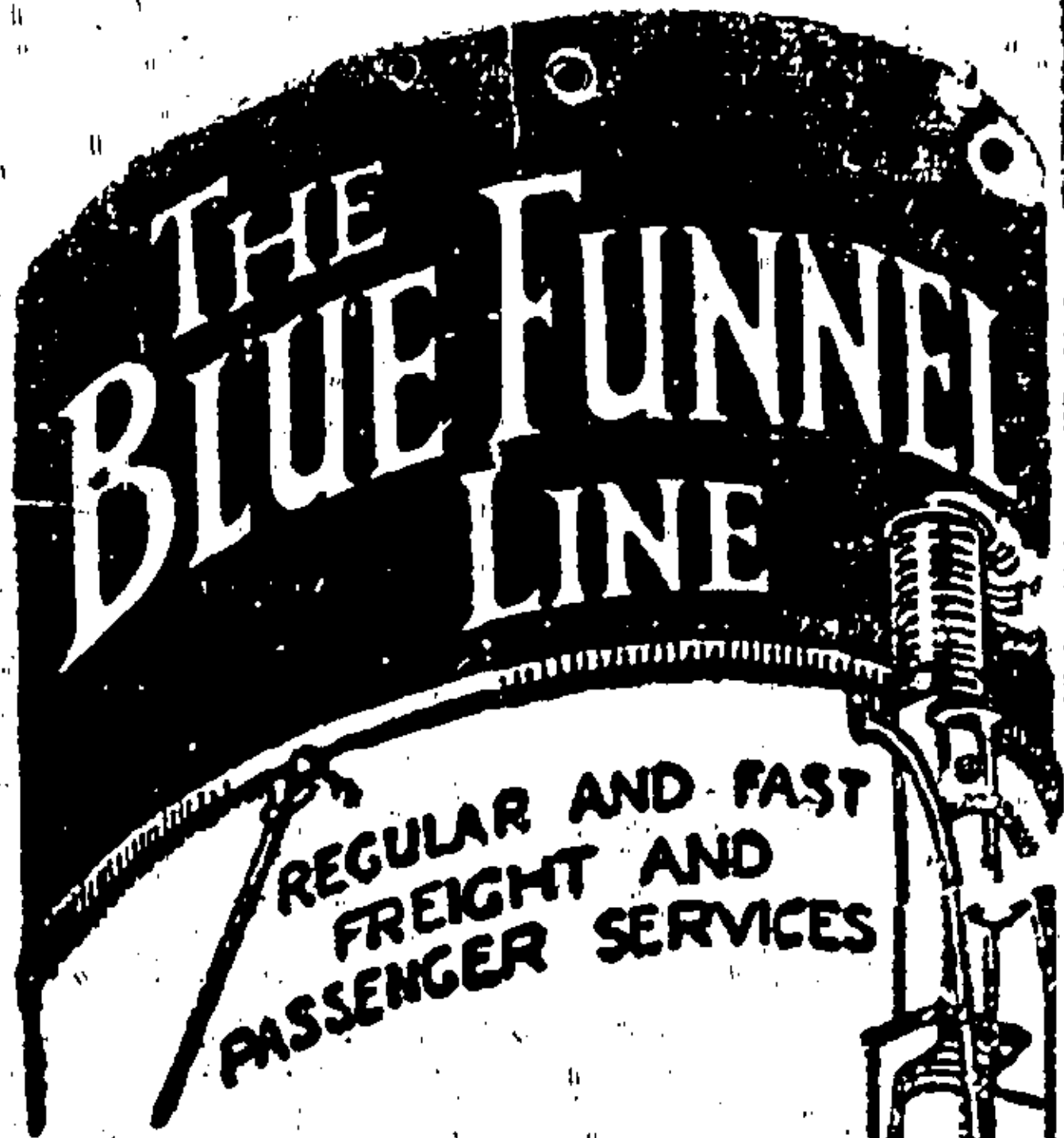
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MERRY ROUND

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Apart from the entertainment provided by Max Mallin, there was dancing in abundance throughout the evening. Particularly entertaining was a Paul Jones which was danced with a vigour reminiscent of the good old "hops" where partners really danced instead of gliding over a polished floor like a collection of sleep-walkers. This Paul Jones kept everyone very much awake, and that it—and the dancers—"stayed the course" for twenty minutes is proof that the jolly folk of the Kowloon Cricket Club take and like their pleasure in full measure.

Another party, please!

THE HONG KONG

Who will deny that one of "Al's" famous cocktails is like an all-round ticket to happiness on the Omnibus of Exhilaration? "Al" has a neat philosophy. It is summed-up thus: "You're a long time dead, therefore, whilst alive be thoroughly alive."

Well, the happy throng at the Gripps on Saturday night comprised those who apparently shared "Al's" philosophy, for they made a very gay evening of it. If the floor was somewhat crowded at times, that mattered little. The spirit of fun was abroad and the music was as good as ever.

Then in the Roof Garden the Hellmans entertained a very breezy assemblage which was by no means formal in spite of the comparative formality of the sartorial qualification demanded for entry into the charming circle.

Bob and Bertie Hellman have an unusual facility for "keeping things going," and no sooner do they finish one number than they dash into another. There is great variety about their plan of entertainment, and Madame "put across" some very intriguing numbers on Saturday. They received a great "hand" when, in the wee sam' hours, the show terminated.

THE GLOUCESTER

When the management of the Gloucester Hotel made elaborate alterations it was thought that adequate space had been provided to accommodate everyone who might select this brilliant rendezvous for good entertainment. Judging by the success which attended the opening on October 3, and which has continued since that memorable occasion, it would seem that the walls of the Gloucester restaurant and ballroom should be elastic to meet the increasing demands of a discerning public.

The crowd there on Saturday night was greater than ever, and the cabaret turns were on the highest plane of entertainment. Quennie, David and the girls; Nina and Jose—they all performed to the delight of that huge throng of merry-makers. There was not a dull moment, and Gellman's Cossack band played enchantingly.

THE PENINSULA

There was a great stamping of feet, clapping of hands, shuffling of shoulders and vocal expressions of enthusiastic happiness at the Peninsula Hotel on Saturday in that section of this famous establishment where the Royal Engineers' "Comrades" Association held a ball. It was good fellowship and good fun which twinkled to the very brim all the time, and some of the impromptu solo efforts caused the building to shake with laughter.

Some of the old time dances were executed with a uniform adroitness reminiscent of a painstakingly rehearsed stage set. The effectiveness of such dances must

CONVERSATION PIECE



Caught by the camera on the steps of the members' enclosure at the Jockey Club races recently.

LOSS TO COLONY

Mr. W.H.C. Robson
Not Returning

WIFE ALSO
REMAINING
IN ENGLAND

Mr. W. H. C. Robson, formerly of the Kowloon Docks, where he served his apprenticeship as a youth, will not be returning to the Colony. He has secured employment in one of the large shipping firms at home. It is learned.

Mr. Robson's absence from the Colony will mean a keen loss to St. Andrew's Church where he was a Warden for many years and also a member of the Church Council. His father, Mr. W. Robson, was formerly connected with the Kowloon Docks and was a staunch supporter of St. Andrew's Church where he held the position of Church Warden for a number of years.

Mr. W. H. C. Robson is remaining in England with his wife and four sons. His wife was a well-known local singer and was a stalwart among the sopranos in St. Andrew's Church choir. She rendered many solos both in Church and at concerts.

Y.M.C.A. TALK

A very interesting talk was given by the Rev. H. W. Baines, in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. last night. The topic for the evening was "God is My Neighbour."

be seen to be thoroughly appreciated, and judging by the expressions of those good comrades on Saturday, these dances give much more genuine enjoyment than would appear to be the case with the more involved modern rumbas, fox-trots and what-nots. But they danced those too—and how!

MORE ENTERTAINMENTS

It was ascertained that the management of the leading hotels have a planned feature entertainment for this season, and if the inaugural standard is maintained, then a particularly gay period may confidently be expected.

YACHT RACE TO CHEUNG CHAU

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the club before nightfall, had put into one of the coves abounding on the coast of the mainland.

If such were the case, Mr. Potts would have ample supplies of food and water on board to last over his enforced stay on the Mistral.

An attempt by the "Hong Kong Daily Press" to get through by phone to the Cheung Chau Island police station was met by the laconic reply from the telephone operator, "Line out of order."

The authorities are not perturbed, for they state that if anything had happened to the Mistral near Cheung Chau, the station there would communicate by wireless with the Water Police station. If Mr. Potts has made for shelter during the night at Cheung Chau, the mere fact of his having done so would not necessitate a wireless message to this effect being sent to Kowloon.

LATE RETURN

Later, Mr. J. H. Potts, in the yacht Mistral, returned to the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club shortly before 9.45 p.m., having encountered trouble in making headway, because of the falling off of sufficient winds. It was stated.

OUTBREAK OF FIRE

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The cause of the outbreak has been established from the fusing of electric wires.

An appliance from the Central Fire Brigade, under the charge of Assistant Station Officer C. Browne was first on the scene and did yeoman service in curtailing the extent of the conflagration. Three other appliances followed soon after, and operations were under the direction of Mr. H. T. Brooks, Superintendent of the Fire Brigade, who was assisted by other European station officers.

Seven minutes after the fire was first noticed, the Emergency Unit of the Hong Kong Police Force, under Sub-Inspector R. J. Hunt were on the scene and rendered valuable assistance in managing the crowd that had gathered.

A Police guard was later furnished and normal traffic was resumed in the evening.

ALL ABOUT CHINA

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Problem; the Currency Crisis and the Radio in China. Even the Cinema has not been omitted.

There is a section devoted to the publication of important historical documents, not the least significant being the Leith-Ross Mission.

There is a very informative Who's Who section, and a list of commercial establishments in China.

The China Year Book is indispensable to everyone who has interests in, and is interested in China.

FOREIGN MAILS

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INWARD MAILS

FROM	PER	TIME
MANILA STRAITS	Free. Pierce	19th Oct.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways" Direct Service—London date, 10th October.	R.M.A. Dorado	20th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Sarpedon	21st Oct.
SHANGHAI and EUROPE via SHANGHAI (London, date, 28th Sept.)	Sphinx	20th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Indo-China Maru	20th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Buenos Aires Maru	20th Oct.
JAPAN	Pres. Coolidge	21st Oct.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 2nd October)	Gogga	22nd Oct.
JAPAN	Emp. of Asia	22nd Oct.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver B.C., 3rd October)	Lisbon Maru	22nd Oct.
SHANGHAI	London	22nd Oct.
HAIPHONG	Pres. Jefferson	22nd Oct.
MANILA and SHANGHAI	Behar	23rd Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Pres. Adams	23rd Oct.
U.S.A., HONOLULU, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (San Francisco, 25th September)	General Lee	23rd Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Potsdam	23rd Oct.
SHANGHAI	Hakone Maru	23rd Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Katani Maru	23rd Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Anama Maru	23rd Oct.
SHANGHAI	Conf. Verde	24th Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Typhoon	24th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Manon	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Kamo Maru	25th Oct.
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SHANGHAI	Shirata	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Suvarinhardt	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Buridan	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Amoy Maru	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Kinno Maru	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Tokushima Maru	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Typhoon	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Waller	25th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Felix Roussel	25th Oct.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 10th October)	Pres. Jackson	30th Oct.
SHANGHAI	Tyndarus	31st Oct.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Orphe	31st Oct.

OUTWARD MAILS

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FOR	PER	DATE AND TIME
MONDAY		Monday, 19th
Formosa...	Taiwan	11.30 A.M.
Poochow...	Boochow	10.30 A.M.
Fort Bayard, Hoikow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	G. G. Paul Downer	1.00 P.M.
Hoikow and Pakhoi	Hatching	2.30 P.M.
Shanghai	Perseus	5.00 P.M.
TUESDAY		Tuesday, 20th
Batavia and Sourabaya	Typhoon	9.30 A.M.
Letters for "Air Orient Service"—due Marseilles, 1st Nov.	Sphinx	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.30 A.M. Let. 10.00 A.M.
Seigon, Ceylon, India, East, and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles 18th November	Sphinx	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 9.45 A.M. Let. 10.30 A.M.
Bangkok via Swatow	Katani	10.30 A.M.
Swatow and Poochow	Katani	10.30 A.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and EUROPE via San Francisco—due San Francisco, 10th November and EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. Pierce	4.00 P.M. Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let. 5.30 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 19th November—and London Parcels—due London, 25th November.	Sarpedon	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st. Reg. 9.15, 9.45 A.M. Let. 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st.
WEDNESDAY		Wednesday, 21st
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Amsterdam, 2nd Nov.	Buenos Aires Maru	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 1.30 P.M. Let. 2.00 P.M.
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 19th November—and London Parcels—due London, 25th November.	Buenos Aires Maru	2.30 P.M. Reg. 4.30 P.M. Let. 4.30 P.M.
THURSDAY		Thursday, 22nd
Poochow via Swatow	Poochow	10.30 A.M.
Letters for "Imperial Airways" Direct Service—due London, 2nd November.	R.M.A. Dorado	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 2nd, 5.00 P.M. Let. 2nd, 8.30 A.M.
Letters for "Australia by Imperial Airways Service"—due Darwin 27th October.	R.M.A. Dorado	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 2nd, 5.00 P.M. Let. 2nd, 8.30 A.M.
FRIDAY		Friday, 23rd
Bandakan	Hime	9.30 A.M.
Hoikow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kingchow	10.30 P.M.
Straits and Calcutta	Gogga	10.30 P.M.
Haiphong	Canton	10.30 P.M.
Formosa, Shanghai and Japan	Hakone Maru	8.30 P.M.
Manila, and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 15th November—and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Potsdam	4.30 P.M.
Manila	General Lee	5.00 P.M.
Manila	Pres. Adams	5.00 P.M.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., and EUROPE via Victoria B.C.—due Victoria B.C., 11th November—and EUROPE via Siberia	Pres. Jefferson	5.00 P.M. Reg. 5.00 P.M. Let. 5.30 P.M.
Straits and EUROPE via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 25th November	Behar	G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 5.30 P.M. Let. 5.30 P.M.

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